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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW.*

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Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Eliot Norton.

THE MARRIED LOVER.

BY COVENTRY PATMORE.

This dainty poem is one of the many and always charming preludes to Coventry Patmore's "The Angel in the House."

Why, having won her, do I woo?
  Because her spirit's vestal grace
Provokes me always to pursue,
  But, spirit-like, eludes embrace;
Because her womanhood is such
  That, as on court days subjects kiss
The queen's hand, yet so near a touch
  Affirms no mean familiarness,
Nay, rather marks more fair the height
  Which can with safety so neglect
To dread, as lower ladies might,
  That grace could meet with disrespect,
Thus she with happy favor feeds
  Allegiance from a love so high
That thence no false conceit proceeds
  Of difference bridged, or state put by;
Because, although in act and word
  As lowly as a wife can be,
Her manners, when they call me lord,
  Remind me 'tis by courtesy;
Not with her least consent of will,
  Which would my proud affection hurt,
But by the noble style that still
  Imputes an unattain'd desert;
Because her gay and lofty brows,
  When all is won which hope can ask,
Reflect a light of hopeless snows
  That bright in virgin ether bask;
Because though free of the outer court
  I am, this temple keeps its shrine
Sacred to heaven; because, in short,
  She's not and never can be mine.

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NEWS—Summarized and Indexed.

THE WEATHER— WEDNESDAY, JAN. 7, 1903.

Partly cloudy Wednesday, probably with light snow flurries; Thursday fair and slightly colder, high winds, shifting to northwest. The maximum temperature in Chicago during the twenty-four hours ending last midnight was 25 degrees above zero at 9 p. m. and the minimum 15 degrees above zero at 5 a. m.

Sun rises at 7:20; sets at 4:34. Moon rises at 12:40 a. m.

POLITICAL:—

John H. Miller chosen Illinois speaker by house caucus at Springfield; 49 votes given him, against 39 for Sherman; latter's supporters agreed to stick together on legislation; State Chairman Fred H. Rowe did not preside, because of opposition.

John M. Harlan opened his Chicago mayoralty campaign in Seventeenth ward; 250 persons heard his speech; list of 4,400 signers to Graeme Stewart petition issued in ward where both reside.

Pennsylvania legislature adjourned till Jan. 19, when Senator Boies Penrose will be reelected; compulsory arbitration law urged by Gov. Stone, who declared that anthracite strike cost the state $1,000,000.

WASHINGTON:—

Attorney General Knox, on request of Senator Hoar and Congressman Littlefield, submitted remedy for trust evils, including law against rate discrimination and interstate commerce in products of illegal combines; action by congress unlikely.

Anti-trust statement issued from White house with President Roosevelt's indorsement, giving administration's views and confirming Attorney General Knox's plan; Senator Hoar introduced his anti-trust bill with long speech.

DOMESTIC:—

Andrew Carnegie offered $1,500,000 to Philadelphia free public library for construction of thirty district branches; buildings must cost $50,000 each and city or individuals provide sites; city likely to accept.

The Rev. John H. Elliott, New York, in address to Women's Health Protective association, declared Chicago men are five times more deferential than New York men toward women passengers in crowded cars.

FOREIGN:—

Gen. A. R. Chaffee charged by Maj. E. F. Glenn during latter's second trial at Manila with authorizing torture of Filipino prisoners; order produced declaring information must be obtained, "no matter what measures be adopted."

Germany, Great Britain, and Italy answered President Castro's request that Venezuelan blockade be raised pending arbitration; appeal denied, but way made easy for settlement outside of Hague tribunal.

German budget appropriating $375,000 for St. Louis fair exhibit preliminaries introduced in reichstag; total requirement placed at $625,000; exhibit declared necessary, as France and England will be represented.

British government protested to Turkey against passage of four Russian torpedo boats through Dardanelles to Black sea; treaty violation pointed out.

British grain and sugar tax will net $37,-100,000 for year; prices of wheat, barley, and oats lower than before duties were imposed; sugar tax neutralized by abundant supplies.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY:—

Illinois insurance department won preliminary victory over unauthorized companies operating from Chicago; motions to quash and for demurrers overruled by Judge Baker.

May wheat closed with ⅛ cent gain, at 75⅝-¾; world's stocks decreased 3,440,000 bushels; Argentine news bearish; seaboard export sales 280,000, clearances 213,669 bushels; January corn closed with 1⅝ cent gain.

Illinois railroad and warehouse commission, Springfield, heard arguments for reduction of rates; Springfield, Decatur, and Bloomington merchants charge discrimination in favor of Chicago, Peoria, and Qunicy.

Illinois Trust and Savings bank, Chicago, earned 36½ per cent in 1902 on $4,000,000 capital; Merchants' Loan and Trust company, 23 per cent on $2,000,000; Western State bank, 10 per cent on $500,000 capital.

Sheriff Schadt, Scranton, Pa., testified before coal strike arbitrators at Philadelphia that deputy sheriffs were paid by coal operators who asked their protection, and that lawlessness existed only in certain localities.

Western railroad executive officials at Chicago meeting took personal charge of rate making, to prevent secret cutting by traffic officials; latter accused of discriminating on 1,000 articles in nine months.

Three thousand Chicago van teamsters demand $2.50 daily wages, instead of $2, and 25 cents extra during moving seasons; $2.25 asked for helpers, with 35 cents an hour for more than ten hours' work.

New York stock prices generally advanced; call loan rate not above 6 per cent; time money also easier; thirty out of 170 shares declined on realizing sales.

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LOCAL:—

Illinois Manufacturers' association will submit proof of illegal combination among Chicago coal dealers to State's Attorney Deneen today; grand jury will at once investigate, and indictments against large dealers are believed likely.

Mrs. Margaret Perry and three children burned to death in Hotel Somerset, Wabash avenue and Twelfth street; four others injured; W. D. Clemons arrested on suspicion that fire started from his cigaret.

The Rev. Lyman Abbott, former pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, in address at Chicago commons, declared every laboringman should join trades union to aid in preserving his neighbors' interests.

The Rev. M. M. Parkhurst in Evanston address declared Northwestern university is overshadowed there by moneyed aristocracy, and that idle sons of rich residents exert bad influence on students.

Frederick Lovell's trial today for alleged illegal voting at primaries may cost Tilden democracy control of first congressional district and unseat Patrick White from county committee; result hinges on his vote.

Social Economics club voted American husbands best in the world, after hearing that Chinese and Japanese wives must obey their mothers-in-law, Turkish wives can be divorced at will, and East Indian are slaves.

Jurors to try union brass molders for alleged conspiracy to assault nonunion men must tell belief in man's right to "liberty and pursuit of happiness"; four of eleven defendants are fugitives.

Judge Kohlsaat's order prohibiting Union station cabmen soliciting fares reaffirmed by United States Court of Appeals; $48,665 Farmers' Loan and Trust company fee in Lake street "L" litigation held improper.

First ward democratic masquerade ball attended by 15,000 persons; grand march led by Ald. Coughlin; water wagon broke down.

William O'Rourke, Hammond, Ind., given twenty-one years sentence for eloping to Terre Haute with 13 year old Lucy Ray.

Lake Shore drive completion likely as result of Judge Holdom's decision awarding tract at Bellevue place, worth $2,000,000, to Lincoln park; master's finding overruled.

H. Finkelstein, his wife, daughter, and grandson, asphyxiated by illuminating gas at their home, 122 Liberty street.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
AUCKLAND	Sierra	
BREMEN	Brandenburg	
GENOA		Sicilian Prince.
LIVERPOOL	Parisian	
NEW YORK	Moltke	W. der Grosse.
NEW YORK		Liguria.
NEW YORK		Tauric.
SYDNEY	Aorangi	

BASIS FOUND FOR ANTI-TRUST LAW.

Attorney General, in Giving Administration's Views, Makes Early Action Possible.

AMENDING MAY SUFFICE.

Proposal to Punish Both Parties to Rebate or Discrimination Meets the Opposition of Many Members.

TRUSTS—Members of congress discuss Attorney General Knox's explanation of the administration views regarding anti-trust legislation. Framing of bill now possible.

CHICAGO TUNNELS—Representative Mann has asked ruling by judge advocate general as to who must pay cost of removal.

ARMY—House by vote of 153 to 52 passes the general staff bill.

LIVE STOCK—Chicago association would have time cattle may remain in cars in transit extended.

[BY RAYMOND.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Attorney General Knox's summary of the position of the administration on the trust question issued today aroused extraordinary interest in congress because it was felt that this would be the basis of whatever legislation on this subject should be passed at this session of congress.

Unfortunately for the effect of this letter from the attorney general, it was so long that members found great difficulty in reaching a clear idea as to its contents. An examination convinced them, however, that it would be an easy matter to frame a few simple amendments to the Sherman anti-trust law which would meet the conditions explained by the attorney general.

The commonly accepted summary, as talked over by the members of the judiciary committee of the two houses, embraced:

First, the prevention and punishment of discriminations in rates of transportation.

Second, prohibiting interstate commerce entirely in products manufactured by illegal combinations.

Third, the creation of a commission to supervise the regulation of the trusts substantially similar to the interstate commerce commission in its relation to the railroads.

Fourth, provision for the expedition of suits against trusts and illegal combinations when instituted by the attorney general or his subordinates.

In regard to the first of these suggestions by the attorney general there is grave doubt among members of congress because Mr. Knox has suggested that both parties to a rebate or unfair discrimination should be enjoined and punished under the law.

The country members of the house were particularly disturbed by this suggestion, because, they declared, wherever a similar statute has been enacted to regulate the liquor traffic, it has invariably resulted in the immediate stoppage of all prosecution. Where the saloonkeeper and the minor are alike made liable for the sale of liquor to a person under age, it is absolutely impossible to secure evidence.

The suggestion of the attorney general, therefore, that both the railroad which gives the rebate and the shipper who accepts it should be punished under the law is not acceptable to the great majority of the members of congress. They believe that the anti-trust law should be directed exclusively to the regulation of the trusts themselves.

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With this exception, the letter of the attorney general was immediately received as the foundation of a simple bill or collection of amendments which readily can be adopted.

Probably the least popular of the attorney general's suggestions is the idea of a commission, because the lawmakers are becoming surfeited with this particular method of administering the government. On the other hand, it is recognized that there is no department of the government which is now specifically equipped with the machinery for the regulation of the corporations.

In view of the probable passage of the bill to create a department of commerce, it seems likely that the bill to regulate the trusts will be turned over to a regular bureau of that department, and thus the necessity of a new commission with independent machinery will be avoided.

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Several of the lawyers in congress say the attorney general strikes at the root of the trust issue when he proposes that congress shall absolutely prohibit all interstate commerce in articles which are manufactured by trusts contrary to law.

The difficulty in enforcing the Sherman law has been that the power of congress is manifestly limited to the control of interstate commerce. The national government cannot assume under the constitution to supervise any process of manufacturing, although it knows that articles so made, contrary to the federal law, are intended to be used subsequently in commerce between the states.

It is declared by these lawyers in congress, however, that the government of the United States clearly has the power under the interstate commerce section of the constitution to prohibit absolutely the exchange of certain articles between the people of different states. It can regulate the transportation of explosives from one state to another or prohibit an interstate commerce in articles dangerous to the public health or menacing to the safety of the federal government itself.

For this reason it is believed that if congress passes the law prohibiting the sale in one state of articles made by a trust in another state the illegal corporations will have to cease operations at once. In this way the sugar trust, which does its refining in New York, and which at the same time fixes the prices for sugar in Chicago, could be absolutely prohibited from transporting a pound of sugar from the seaboard to the lakes. It would compel the corporation to manufacture its goods separately in each state in the union, and this, of course, would be immediately destructive of the idea of successful combination.

Among the members of the house and senate talked with today the vast majority were inclined to view the other suggestions of the attorney general as largely theoretical. They nearly all united, however, in the belief that the prohibition of interstate commerce in trust made articles would certainly be upheld by the courts as clearly within the constitutional power of the federal government.

As to the prospect of any legislation along the line suggested by the attorney general

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THE DEFENDANT FILES AN EXCEPTION.

SUBPOENA
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STATUTES OF MISSOURI
SUPREME COURT OF THE GREAT MULE STATE. IN RE. PETE GROGAN VS. D. MULE

Decision by the Missouri Court of Appeals: "The mule is a domestic animal whose treacherous and vicious nature is so generally known that even courts may take notice of it."

BLAME PUT ON CHAFFEE.

MAJ. GLENN SAYS ORDER PERMITTED TORTURE OF FILIPINOS.

Army Officer Under Court Martial at Manila Declares Written Instruction from the Major General Authorized Him to Treat Prisoners Any Way He Pleased—Charges That Records of Gen. Jacob Smith's Brigade Have Been Mutilated.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

MANILA, Jan. 6.—Maj. Edwin F. Glenn of the Fifth infantry was for the second time placed on trial today on the charge of killing seven Filipino prisoners of war by torture.

Maj. Glenn created a sensation by declaring that he was authorized to torture his prisoners by written orders from Maj. Gen. Adna R. Chaffee. He presented one of these orders to the court and declared that other official orders and documents had not been recorded at division headquarters.

Records Tampered With.

He charged that the records of the Sixth brigade, commanded by Gen. Jacob Smith, had been tampered with and that important documents had been abstracted. The defense wished to examine Gen. Smith as to these documents and certain written and verbal orders for the purpose of showing the character of the campaign Gen. Smith desired to have waged.

Maj. Glenn had already requested the presence of Gens. Chaffee and Smith from the United States as witnesses, but Secretary of War Root refused and ordered Maj. Glenn to submit a list of questions to be submitted to those generals. Maj. Glenn today refused to submit these questions and renewed his request that the generals be sent from the United States.

Shows Order from Chaffee.

It was also declared in Maj. Glenn's argument that Gen. Chaffee had sent a telegram to the department of southern Luzon, where Caballe's force was operating, clad in American uniforms. The text of this telegram is given as follows:

"The division commander directs that no matter what measures be adopted information as to the whereabouts of this force must be obtained."

The defense argued that this order was authorization for the application of the water cure, and said that officers in the field so interpreted it. If this interpretation was proper, the defense said, Gen. Chaffee was entitled to the opportunity to show why he had failed to interfere to prevent the court-martialing of officers for executing the order.

Root's Change of Views.

The defense produced a copy of a telegram sent by Secretary Root to Gen. Chaffee when the former thought that Maj. Glenn's trial for applying the water cure would take place in San Francisco and in which Gen. Chaffee was directed to send to San Francisco any witnesses Maj. Glenn desired. The defense pointed out that when this message was sent war existed, but now peace prevails, and asked why this policy had been changed, why it was incompatible with the public interest to send Gen. Smith, now retired, and Mr. Conklin, a civilian, to Manila.

If witnesses were denied, the defense asked to have the documents enumerated in the witnesses subpœnaes. It claimed it could not properly defend Maj. Glenn without witnesses and raised the question of the constitutional right to have them.

Maj. Lewis E. Goodier, for the prosecution, held the decision given by Secretary Root in the matter of witnesses to be final, and charged the defense with seeking to force the court to go on record as disapproving Secretary Root's decision. Maj. Goodier said the document sought could be attached to the depositions, and that the present was not a proper time to raise a constitutional question.

The testimony of the first witnesses will be heard tomorrow. The case is attracting more interest than any court-martial held in Manila since the American occupation. Army officers generally decline to talk of the charges made by Major Glenn. The major is making a strenuous fight to retain his place in the army, as he realizes that a second conviction will be more serious than the first.

NO MORE LOCUST PLAGUES: DISEASE TO KILL THEM ALL.

Department of Agriculture Discovers Germ Which Will Wipe Out Whole Swarms in a Single Night.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—There will be no more dreaded plagues of grasshoppers or of locusts. This is all because the department of agriculture has discovered a plague to kill the plague—the germ of an extremely contagious insect disease that can wipe out the greatest swarm of locusts or of grasshoppers in a single night.

The next time a locust or grasshopper plague prevails in any section of the United States tubes of gelatine containing the germs of the plague will be sent to farmers in the afflicted districts.

It has long been known that when grasshoppers and locusts appear in enormous numbers they sometimes die off as a result of some contagious fungus or bacterial disease. The germs of this plague have been discovered.

The disease is caused by fungi and the cultures are made much more easily than the name would imply. Farmers after using one tube from the department's laboratory may make their own cultures by grinding the dead bodies of infected insects and producing the destructive fungus in as large quantities as they desire.

CONSUL REFUSES TARIFF: UNIFORM IS SHIPPED HOME.

Danish Representative in Louisville Is Unable to Secure Remission of Duty—Concession Permits Return.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 6.—Charles Earl Currie, Danish consul at Louisville, has ordered shipped back to Copenhagen a $300 full dress uniform which he purchased for the purpose of wearing at state functions, because the United States government would not admit the garments duty free.

"I have tried for months," said Mr. Currie, "to have the uniform entered duty free, but congressmen and senators have been unable to accomplish it. I think, in view of the favors rendered this country by Denmark, the duty of $200 should have been removed, but the government did not see it in that way."

When Mr. Currie decided to reship, however, another complication arose. Duty accrues on imported articles as soon as they enter the country, so Mr. Currie owed the government the duty whether he took the suit or not. The department finally granted him permission to send the garment back to Denmark, and it was packed this morning.

BLIZZARD SWEEPS THE WEST: BISMARCK CAPITOL WRECKED.

Wild Midwinter Hurricane, Moving Rapidly Toward Chicago, Damages North Dakota State House.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—A terrific hurricane, carrying snow, is sweeping the Dakotas. The wind, rushing along sixty-four miles an hour, struck the state capitol at Bismarck just as the legislature adjourned, smashed all the windows, crushed the dome, and swept away part of the roof. Much damage was done in the city, and many houses were wrecked. Sioux Falls is cut off from the world. The blizzard struck Sioux City, Ia., at dark and is moving east rapidly.

BARK WRECKED: 18 DROWNED.

Norwegian Vessel Lost Off Coast of Washington and the Crew Goes Down with It.

Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 6.—News of the wreck of the Norwegian bark Prince Arthur and the death by drowning of eighteen of the crew was received today. The scene of the disaster is two miles south of Ozette, on the Washington coast, fifteen miles from Cape Flattery.

BIG GIFT BY CARNEGIE.

PHILADELPHIA OFFERED $1,500,000 FOR THIRTY LIBRARIES.

Steel Man Offers to Put Up Branches at Cost of $50,000 Each and Equip Them if City and Association Will Furnish Sites and Guarantee Maintenance—Donations of Land from Other Men Expected—Mayor Promises His Aid.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Andrew Carnegie has offered $1,500,000 to the free library of Philadelphia to establish thirty branches in as many different sections of the city. The conditions attached to the gift are that $50,000 is to be expended for the erection of each building, the sites to be provided by the city or by private individuals, the branches to be equipped by the city, and a provision of an annual appropriation of $5,000 made for the maintenance of each branch.

George C. Thomas of Drexel & Co. today supplemented Mr. Carnegie's offer by announcing his willingness to donate one of the sites. Offers of additional sites probably will be announced on Friday, when the trustees of the library meet to take action on the offer.

Mayor Promises His Aid.

The only obstacle that could now arise to prevent the carrying out of a complete scheme of municipal libraries, second to none in the world, would be the unwillingness of the council to do its share. No opposition is expected in this quarter. The matter was laid before Mayor Ashbridge today and his coöperation was promised. Members of the board of trustees of the library are now at work carrying out the details of the plan.

The probabilities are that the offer of Mr. Carnegie will result in a complete revision of the plans for the free library of Philadelphia. It was the original intention to have a magnificent central library, with branches as a secondary consideration. For this purpose $1,000,000 was provided in a recent loan. Work on the building was only delayed on account of the inability of the trustees to secure a suitable site. It had been decided that the $1,000,000 would not be adequate to the needs of the institution when the steel magnate came to the rescue. Librarian John Thompson had an interview with Mr. Carnegie on Sunday in which he made known the needs of Philadelphia.

Carnegie Takes Up Plan.

"Mr. Carnegie," said Mr. Thompson, "expressed the deepest interest in the matter. He said he would not interfere in behalf of the main library, as he felt that that part of the undertaking was in capable hands. He was, however, willing to do for Philadelphia what he had done for New York. Having regard to the comparative population of the two cities, he reached the conclusion that this city would require thirty branch libraries.

"He stated that it would give him great pleasure to pay for the erection of this number of buildings, and toward the cost of erecting each of these he would gladly contribute the sum of $50,000. He would require that private donors or the city should provide sites, and as each building is erected the city shall pay the cost of books required for the branch and bind itself to appropriate for its maintenance the sum of $5,000.

"Mr. Carnegie was anxious that these branch libraries should have lecture rooms, and that the circulation and other rooms should be thoroughly well fitted up."

SONG WRITER'S WIDOW BURNED

Former Wife of Stephen C. Foster Sustains Serious Injuries in Blaze from Fireplace.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 6.—Mrs. Wylie, the widow of Stephen C. Foster, the writer of many old melodies, including the "Old Folks at Home," was probably fatally burned today. While sitting in front of an open fireplace the flames communicated to her clothing, and before they were extinguished she was terribly burned.

MILLER SELECTED AS HOUSE RULER

Sherman Faction Bows to Majority, but Forms Permanent Organization for Session.

DIVISION IS 49 TO 39.

Officers Are Selected and All Is in Readiness for Opening of Forty-third General Assembly Today.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—John H. Miller of Hamilton county will be the speaker of the house of the Forty-third general assembly. That was decided today at a caucus of the house members, in which there were 49 votes for Miller and 39 for Lawrence Y. Sherman.

Just before the caucus met thirty-eight of Mr. Sherman's friends met in his headquarters and agreed to stand together on every and all propositions. Then they walked up to the caucus in Indian file. There they gained one vote, and thirty-nine of them marched back to the old room. There they made a new agreement among themselves. It was that, while they had lost the organization of the house, they would still stand together on every piece of legislation which might come before the assembly.

The idea was, as Rabbi Norden put it: "On matters of organizing the house I am a republican. When it comes to my individual vote, on questions of legislation which may seem to me good or bad for the state of Illinois, I am Aaron Norden, a citizen of the state."

Sherman Explains His Policy.

After the last conference of his friends, Judge Sherman gave out this statement:

"As usual, I am a republican. The session is ahead of us. It is now time to turn to the duties we were elected to perform. I am at the capital until adjournment. Those who are interested in the coming legislation for Illinois will find me subject to their call."

When Congressman Lorimer was asked as to what he had to say about the caucus and its happenings, he said this:

"The result of the republican caucus is what all of the people interested in Illinois legislation have expected for the last six weeks. It will give us harmonious and beneficial legislation for the state. I do not understand there are any 'soreheads' or that there will be any serious trouble. The caucus action today cannot, as I understand it, have any effect on the election of the United States senator. That has been settled already."

How the Members Voted.

The vote by which Mr. Miller was chosen as the nominee for speaker was the same one on which all questions in the caucus were settled. The roll call was as follows:

FOR MILLER.

Arnold,
Boll,
Breidt,
Burgett,
Cavanagh,
Chiperfield,
Clettenberg,
Curtis,
Davies (F. L.),
Drew,
Edwards,
Ericksen, F. E.,
Erickson, S. E.,
Gallagher,
Gaunt,
Gillespie,
Glade,
Gordon,
Greenebaum,
Haines,
Jonas,
Kleeman,
Kopf,
Lawrence,
Leaverton,
Lindley,
Lyon,
McElvain,
McGuire,
Miller of Clark,
Montgomery,
Morris,
Murray,
Nohe,
Owen,
Rodman,
Schnipper,
Shanahan,
Sherman,
Shurtleff,
Smejkal,
Sunderland,
Swigart,
Taggart,
Turner of Cook,
Uppendahl,
Walker,
Wheeler,
Wilkerson—49.

FOR SHERMAN.

Allen,
Austin,
Backus,
Beitler,
Black,
Brundage,
Bundy,
Bush,
Castle,
Cherry,
Christian,
Church,
Davis, A. P.,
Hardin,
Iserman,
Kerrick,
Lish,
Magill,
McRoberts,
Miller of Hamilton,
Montelius,
Nagel,
Norden,
Noyes,
Oldam,
Patterson,
Pederson,
Pendarvis,
Rinaker,
Russell,
Samuelson,
Schlagenhauf,
Struckman,
Tibbetts,
Tice,
Trautmann,
Turner of Fayette,
Weare,
Wetherbee—39.

With the exception of Representative Weare these thirty-nine met at the Sherman headquarters just before going into the caucus. There was considerable discussion as to what action should be taken, some of the house members openly advocating a bolt. This, however, was objected to by Judge Sherman himself and some of his closest friends. They took the ground that as good republicans they had to abide by the will of the majority.

Pledged to Stand Together.

One important thing, however, was determined on. That was that the members who had allied themselves with Sherman should stand together on all questions of legislation in which it was thought the good of the state was involved. Then the thirty-eight went into the caucus. There Representative Weare, who had not been at the preliminary meeting, voted with them. They went up thirty-eight and came back thirty-nine, and at the finish all renewed the former pledge to stand together as a unit on all matters of needed legislation.

The result of this is expected to be, in the first place, a civil service bill which will have teeth to it; secondly, a careful scrutiny of all appropriation bills, so that the funds of the state may not be wasted for political purposes; incidentally, such other legislation as it may be thought will be beneficial to the state of Illinois, irrespective of whether it pleases the state administration and Mr. Lorimer or not.

May Get Aid of Democrats.

The thirty-nine, of course, do not comprise a majority of the house, or even of the republican members. There are, however, sixty-eight democrats, who, with the thirty-nine, form the necessary two-thirds to put anything through, whether the speaker's men like it or not. The gossip tonight is that the democrats will make up their minds that their best plan of campaign is to act with the thirty-nine members back of Judge Sherman in any demand they might make for legislation intended to benefit the people of the state of Illinois.

At the meeting of the thirty-nine, after the caucus, it was also agreed that no tenders of chairmanships of committees or places on committees should be accepted by any one of them until the matter had been submitted to the consideration of the entire body to determine whether to refuse them or not. The boast was made, after the caucus, that committeeships could be so given out as to divide the Sherman fellows. This agreement was made more to serve notice on Mr. Miller and Mr. Lorimer that any such attempt would be futile than through any fear that such a movement might be successful.

New Way to Meet Defeat.

Never before in the history of Illinois politics has there been a time when a defeated faction in a caucus, knowing it was defeated, stood up to be counted. It always

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has been the rule, be the caucus of the house or the senate, or a joint one for the senatorship, that, knowing what the result would be in advance, the minority promptly landed in the band wagon.

Today, however, it was different. Whether the vote was on the question of the candidate for the speaker of the house or some minor engrossing clerkship, it was always 49 to 39. Roll calls were had on seven propositions, most of them entirely minor ones, and the men who voted for Lawrence Y. Sherman for speaker also voted for Thomas Spellman for doorkeeper of the house. In fact, they made it a trifle unpleasant at one time for the Miller slate makers by suggesting the name of a well known young man who, crippled so he cannot perform hard work, was a candidate for second engrossing clerk of the house. It was explained that this young man, who was well qualified mentally for the place, desired it so he could be able to prosecute the study of law.

"Illinois is no charitable institution," announced Cicero J. Lindley, as he moved to lay the motion on the table, and it was duly done by 49 to 39.

Officers of House Chosen.

Mr. McElvain offered a resolution, which was adopted after several amendments were voted down, declaring the following persons selected for the respective offices named:

Temporary speaker—D. E. Shanahan of Cook.
Clerk—John A. Reeve of Macon county.
First assistant clerk—B. H. McCann of McLean county.
Second assistant clerk—John A. Barnes of Chicago.
Third assistant clerk—J. H. Bassett of Moultrie county.
Doorkeeper—Z. E. Landers of Ogle county.
First assistant doorkeeper—Joseph E. Evans of Piatt county.
Second assistant doorkeeper—Frank Enrietto of Grundy county.
Third assistant doorkeeper—Rich Blue of McLean county.
Enrolling and engrossing clerk—C. P. Thatcher of Clark county.
First assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk—J. F. Hall of McHenry county.
Second assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk—E. A. Lyons of Chicago.
Postmistress—Mrs. Millie Jackson of Marion county.
Assistant postmistress—Mrs. Henrietta M. Vest of Springfield.

Rowe Is Kept Out of Caucus.

Before the caucus was held Representative Bundy, Tice, and Beitler, for the Sherman faction, and Lindley, Gallagher, and Shurtleff, for the Lorimer people, held a preliminary caucus. Here one of the demands made by the Sherman people was ceded to them. It was that Gov. Yates' friend, Fred H. Rowe, chairman of the republican central committee, should not be allowed to take any part in the house caucus. The stipulation on this point read:

"It is agreed that no one outside of the members of the house be present in the caucus, except the caucus may, by vote hereafter, admit the press.

"It is agreed that Edward Shurtleff of McHenry county may and shall call the caucus to order, and he shall read the call.

"It is further agreed that the said Edward Shurtleff be permanent chairman of the caucus, and Mr. Sherman and Mr. Miller may each present to the chairman the names of one candidate each for secretary and teller of the caucus, and that such names as are so presented shall be the secretaries and tellers of the caucus.

"There shall be no discrimination against any house member in committeeships, patronage, or recognition in house business."

This agreement was brought back to the Sherman caucus, and then Representative Wetherbee appeared and joined his name to the Sherman list.

Owen Goes Over to Miller.

Representative Owen of McLean was met at the railroad station this morning by "Uncle" Duncan Funk, formerly a great Sherman man, who was switched over to Yates by an honorary place on the board of commissioners of the St. Louis fair. Despite the fact that Wesley was pledged in fourteen different ways to Sherman, he turned a back somersault and went over to Miller, for which, if rumors are to be accepted at all, he will have for a brother a position on the state board of claims, made vacant by the resignation of Senator Helm.

Representative Weare did not go into the Sherman caucus at all. He, however, voted for Sherman in the house caucus and with the Sherman people on all matters.

Statement by Sherman Men.

The doings in the meeting of the Sherman thirty-eight before they went into the caucus are described this evening in the following semi-official announcement.

"The caucus met at 2 o'clock by appointment. The object was to hear the report of the conference committee. The committee members reported that after exhausting every effort, they had been unable to induce the Miller people to consent to a secret ballot. They had, however, secured from the Miller men the concession that Shurtleff instead of Fred H. Rowe should be chairman of the caucus. The report of the committee was made to our caucus without any recommendations as to its acceptance. When it was first presented, several members opposed its acceptance. It was moved that the report of the committee be not accepted. This motion met with strenuous opposition from Rinaker, Trautmann, Bundy, Schlagenhauf, and a number of others. Bundy in particular spoke at considerable length, urging with great vehemence the acceptance of the report.

"The older members, especially those from the country districts, advised against a bolt on the ground that in a republic a majority should rule, and that if any evil existed within our party we should fight it from the inside and not from the outside. It was argued that if we were to go out of the party endeavoring to fight such corruption as might exist, we would weaken our hands and would be less able to win the battle.

Agree to Bow to Majority.

"The discussion lasted for two hours or more. When it was concluded and it was apparent that all of the older heads were in favor of abiding by the decision of the regular party caucus, Mr. Davis, who had made the motion not to accept the report, arose and withdrew the motion, explaining that he had made it in the first place only to prompt this discussion.

"The last speaker was Judge Sherman. He thanked everybody, and said that the will of the majority should control; that our organization, which had clung together so well, was a little republic, but that he approved of the action of the members present in deciding to abide by the action of the caucus.

"The members then pledged loyalty to one another, and agreed to work for a clean session of the general assembly. Then we formed in line and in single file marched upstairs into the caucus room. After the caucus adjourned we marched back to Judge Sherman's headquarters and renewed our pledge to fealty."

Miller Thanks His Friends.

Mr. Miller tonight gave out the following statement:

"The contest was settled in the caucus this afternoon by practically the vote I have been anticipating ever since I entered the race. I feel grateful to my many friends who have stood by me so loyally in the contest. The supporters of Judge Sherman, whom I regard highly, were able and true men, many of them being my strongest personal friends.

"I have no ill feeling whatever toward any of the men who opposed me in this race. On the contrary, I entertain the kindliest feeling for them.

"Sound and economical legislation will receive my support during the coming session. It shall be my ambition to assist in making a record for the forty-third general assembly of which the people will be proud and on which the republican party can stand solidly. I do not anticipate a long session, but believe we can get through with our business in even less time than did the forty-second general assembly."

REBUFF FOR MAYOR HARRISON.

Caucus of Democratic Members of the House Turns Down His Men by Vote of 48 to 14.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Mayor Carter H. Harrison of Chicago suffered a severe rebuff at the hands of the democratic members of the lower house tonight. James P. Wilson of Ogle county, the Hopkins candidate, was selected as the democratic nominee for speaker, receiving 48 of the 62 votes cast in the caucus. W. A. Bowles of Joliet, who was Mr. Harrison's choice for speaker, received only fourteen votes, and his supporters in the caucus were not even given a hearing.

The Cook county men whom Mr. Harrison was able to influence in favor of Bowles were Arrand of the First ward, Cummings of the Fourth, Donoghue of the Eighteenth, Hunt of the Sixth, Meeteren of the Thirty-first, Miller of the Thirtieth. The other votes in favor of the mayor's candidate were Representatives Browne, Elliott, Hughes, Kloss, Moran, Parish, McKinley, and Mr. Wilson himself. Clarence S. Darrow of the Nineteenth ward, who was Mr. Bowles' special sponsor, was not even here to take part in the caucus.

Cummings Is Shouted Down.

Representative Cummings, who is aggrieved at Mr. Wilson because of something that occurred during the last session of the legislature, proposed to make a speech against the Woosung man. He had threatened to make some ugly charges against Mr. Wilson, and on this account the democratic managers had decided to hold the caucus behind closed doors. But Mr. Cummings did not have an opportunity to make his speech. At the opening of the caucus a rule was adopted against speechmaking, and when Mr. Cummings undertook to explain his vote his voice was lost in a chorus of objections.

Representatives Bowles and Browne of La Salle undertook to have the caucus hear Cummings, but the motion to permit him to make his explanation was overwhelmingly defeated, and Chairman James M. Gray of Macon county wielded a hammer in lieu of a gavel so vigorously that not a word of what Mr. Cummings was trying to say could be heard. He afterwards explained that he purposed having Wilson answer questions as to how he stood on municipal ownership and the initiative and referendum.

Second Blow at the Mayor.

In order to make it more pleasant for the mayor, not only was Mr. Wilson selected as the leader of the minority in the house, but Richard E. Burke of Cook county was named as a candidate for temporary speaker. Mr. Burke is a leading member of the County Democracy and a member of the Barrett faction of his party in Chicago.

Had the Hopkins people insisted on showing their full strength they could probably have beaten the mayor's candidate for speaker worse than they did. As it was, Representative Hunt voted for Bowles, when, had it been a close fight, he probably would have voted the other way. Hunt is a son of the police inspector of Hyde Park, and naturally does not want to do anything to antagonize the mayor unnecessarily.

List of the Nominees.

The following were selected as democratic nominees for the officers of the house:

Temporary speaker—Richard E. Burke of Cook county.
Sergeant at arms—Mr. Cermak of Cook county.
Assistant sergeant at arms—James Busse of Lawrence county.
Custodian of democratic cloak room—J. C. Shanahan of Macoupin county.
Clerk of the house—Martin W. Honan of Cook.
First assistant clerk—C. P. Smith of Richland.
Second assistant clerk—Frank Burnett of Adams county.
Third assistant clerk—Paul J. Pierman of Washington county.
Doorkeeper—A. P. Mann of Vermilion county.
First assistant doorkeeper—Joseph Hunt of Saline county.
Second assistant doorkeeper—Frank N. Carnahan of Mercer.
Third assistant doorkeeper—C. N. Haggerty of Hamilton county.
Enrolling and engrossing clerk—D. J. Sammon of McLean county.
First assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk—P. B. Evans of Wayne county.
Second assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk—K. E. Helt of Shelby county.
Postmistress—Miss Mollie McCabe of Sangamon county.
Assistant postmistress—Miss Ida Dixon of Cook county.

The chair appointed the following steering committee: C. C. Johnson of Whiteside, chairman; James P. Wilson of Ogle, Thomas Tippit of Richland, B. M. Mitchell of Cook, M. E. Hunt of Cook, John E. Doyle of Cook, E. A. Rice of Montgomery, J. C. Werdell of Cook, J. F. Hefferman of McLean, R. E. Corigan of Cook, W. A. Bowles of Will, J. M. Gray of Macon, C. V. McLenathan of Vermilion, and F. E. Donoghue of Cook.

OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR SENATE.

Republicans and Democrats Nominate John C. McKenzie, Being Majority Choice for President Pro Tem.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—At the caucus of the republican senators Senator Clark was chosen to preside over the caucus and Senator Burnet acted as secretary. The following were agreed upon for the various positions:

President pro tem.—John C. McKenzie of Elizabeth.
Secretary—J. H. Paddock of Springfield.
First assistant secretary—Edward Osgood of Cook county.
Second assistant secretary—Julius Johnson of Henry county.
Enrolling and engrossing clerk—O. A. Carlson of Kane county.
First assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk—Henry Froebe of Tazewell county.
Second assistant enrolling and engrossing clerk—Peter Werner of Peoria county.
Sergeant at arms—Edward Harlan of Clark county.
First assistant sergeant at arms—John Albin of McLean county.
Second assistant sergeant at arms—George W. Greenfield of De Kalb county.
Postmistress—Mrs. Ida M. Bacon of Kane county.
Assistant postmistress—Mrs. Lucy M. Long of Madison county.
Policemen—Clark Shoomaker of Knox county, Fred Eggert of Cook county, and Owen McClaslin of Bond county.
Messenger in secretary's office—George Welch of Cook.
Chaplain—The Rev. A. G. Goodspeed of Woodford county.
Superintendent of ventilation—Joseph Ware of Champaign county.
Assistant superintendent of ventilation—James H. Stretch of McLean county.
Mail carrier—Charles W. Eaton of Kane county.
Custodian of the republican cloakroom—C. A. Boyer of Kane county.

A committee of five, consisting of Senators Evans, Berry, Pemberton, Hughes, and Campbell, was appointed to make up the standing committees of the senate and report them back to some future caucus.

Work of Democratic Caucus.

Lawrence B. Stringer of Lincoln was chosen minority leader of the state senate tonight by the democratic senatorial caucus.

A committee composed of Senators Fowler, Butler, Dawson, Maher, and Watson was named to select the democratic members of the senate committees. The steering committee is composed of Senators Meehan, Powers, Farrelly, Alden, and Coleman.

The following officers were nominated:

Secretary—C. A. Kellar, Mount Vernon.
First assistant secretary—Charles Marsh, Manchester.
Second assistant secretary—Antone Koler, Chicago.
Engraving and engrossing clerk—M. W. Pugh, Tamarca.
First assistant engraving and engrossing clerk—John O. Rutledge, Vandalia.
Second assistant engraving and engrossing clerk—E. Z. Kernutt, Carrollton.
Sergeant at arms—Stephen O'Mera, Chicago.
First assistant sergeant at arms—Julius Blum, Chicago.
Second assistant sergeant at arms—D. J. Hogan, Chicago.
Postmistress—Miss Pearl Ferris, Springfield.
Assistant postmistress—Miss Delia Lavender, Elizabethtown.

WILL MEET AT NOON TODAY.

Both Houses Ready for Call—Governor's Message Will Be Read Before Legislature.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Both branches of the general assembly will, according to law, meet at high noon tomorrow. The house will be called to order by the secretary of state. The members will file their credentials and be sworn into office, after which will come temporary and permanent organizations, including, of course, the election of speaker.

The newly elected members of the senate will be sworn into office at noon, too, and organizations, temporary and permanent, effected. After both branches are organized the governor will be notified by committees appointed for that purpose, and the governor's message will be received. Seats will be chosen for the members by lot.

The committees of the senate will be announced in a fortnight or less, while those of the house will probably be "hung up" until after the senator shall have been elected, such being the custom.

MASON ILL, STAYS AT HOME.

Senator's Physician Refuses to Permit Him to Go to Springfield as He Had Planned.

Senator Mason was so ill yesterday that his physician would not permit him to go to Springfield, as he had planned to do. The senator complained of a sore throat, a bad cold, and rheumatic and neuralgic pains, and a general breaking down. His face was swollen and he had a high favor.

PROOF AGAINST BIG COAL FIRMS.

Manufacturers Have It in Plenty to Lay Before Mr. Deneen Today.

THEN A GRAND JURY.

Blame for the Fuel Famine Said to Be Traced to a Dozen Dealers.

Proof of an illegal combination of coal dealers, which has been collected by the Illinois Manufacturers' association, will be submitted to State's Attorney Deneen this afternoon. Prompt investigation by a special grand jury is likely to follow, and the officers of the manufacturers' association believe that indictments against members of some of the largest and richest coal firms in the city will be returned, perhaps before the end of the week.

The special committee of five manufacturers was appointed by Vice President Bernard A. Eckhart yesterday, and will hold a meeting at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon. Attorney Levy Mayer will attend the meeting, and the evidence which has been coming in from the 650 members will be assorted carefully for presentation to the state's attorney. An appointment with Mr. Deneen had not been made last evening, but an engagement will be made with him today. The committee will go direct from the meeting to the Criminal Court building.

Traced to Large Dealers.

It is said positively that the blame for forcing a coal famine on the people has been traced to ten or twelve of the largest coal dealers in Chicago. These men, it is said, control far more than half of the fuel shipped into the city, and hold 95 per cent of the contracts with the large consumers, such as manufacturers and office buildings. Some of them have boasted openly of late, it is said, that they were making fortunes out of the situation, and even said that higher prices are to follow the first heavy storm.

Rumors were current last evening that certain men involved had found it necessary to attend to business in other states, and had departed from the city during the forenoon. Several large consumers, in an effort to locate these men, called up their offices on the pretext of wishing to purchase coal, only to be told that they were not in town.

"Gone to the mines to purchase supplies," was a common excuse.

On Guard Against Giving Warning.

Secretary John M. Glenn of the manufacturers' association declined to make public a list of the dealers against whom indictments are sought, saying that the publication of their names would give the men wanted warning of their danger.

"It reminds me of a story told on former Police Capt. Barney Baer, when he joined the police force," said Mr. Glenn. "Baer was given a warrant to serve, and he found the man lived in the top flat of a three story building. Baer whistled up the speaking tube and the man he was after answered.

"'This is Officer Baer and I have a warrant for you,' Barney announced.

"'All right, come up,' came the answer.

"Barney toiled up the front stairs, only to find that the man had been going down the back stairs at the same time. We don't want to do the same thing here."

Attorney Mayer's Opinion.

The law against "forestalling the market," which Attorney Mayer will use in the prosecution, was discussed in the opinion given the manufacturers by Mr. Mayer. It is an old measure, and is buried among the laws concerning gambling, particularly in grains. It is said that it is more applicable to the case of the coal dealers for the reason that it more nearly covers the matter than the conspiracy laws of later date.

Mr. Mayer's opinion in part is as follows:

"There are several sections of the Illinois criminal code that are applicable. One is the conspiracy act, which makes it a crime for two or more persons to do an illegal act; another is the anti-trust statute of 1891, which provides for the punishment of persons, copartnerships, or corporations that enter into agreements to fix the price of an article of merchandise or limit the amount or quantity to be sold. It is a mistake quite generally entertained that this act has been declared unconstitutional. That is not so. The anti-trust statute of 1893 was declared unconstitutional by the United States Supreme court, but that of 1891 is still in force.

Old Law Against "Forestalling."

"There is, however, a much older law which fills the case; a law which has been on our statute books for a good many years and which is really declarative of what has been the common law for centuries. The section I refer to has lain dormant for a long time. The provision is hidden away under the gambling act. It provides that whoever forestalls the market shall be fined not less than $10 nor more than $1,000 or confined in the county jail not to exceed a year, or both, and that all contracts made in violation of the act shall be void.

"'Forestalling' was indictable under the ancient common law and has continued indictable up to the present time. 'Forestalling' is buying or contracting for articles of merchandise coming to market or dissuading persons from sending merchandise to market or persuading them to enhance the price.

Criminal to Corner Necessaries.

"It has been held for years to be criminal to purchase the necessaries of life, such as fuel, in quantities to preclude competition and to hoard the article for a higher price. It has been well said that one who uses the power which money or credit gives him to play a prank like this upon the community is as deserving of punishment as a thief or a robber.

"One of the most learned of commentators has said that the common law against forestalling has borne the test of ages and has been wise and useful. The fault has not been in this law, but in the nonexecution of it. Its notorious violations have been complained of, but the principal cause of its nonexecution is the easy and indulgent temper and character of the people generally, who have been disposed to suffer themselves to be cheated and imposed on in these ways; complaining generally, but never prosecuting."

Railway Managers Witnesses.

It is said that among the principal witnesses before the grand jury inquiry will be the managers of the coal carrying railroads. Ever since the investigation began the officials of the roads have given information freely. Reports of actual conditions on the roads, including statements of shipments of coal from the mines and the particulars of the journeys of the cars until they have been unloaded have been furnished to the manufacturers, and they will be used to show how coal is held by the big dealers in the storage yards on the outskirts of the city, while these same dealers have insisted that they were entirely without supplies.

Not only have the numbers of cars in daily reports been supplied to the prosecution, but it is said that details of the shippers and consignees have been given as well, so that many manufacturers have learned at last why they were unable to receive the supplies they had contracted for last summer. The details of the reconsignments have furnished some of the most interesting bits of information at hand.

Grand Jury Will Strike High.

"The grand jury investigation will strike high," said a prominent member of the Manufacturers' association. "We know that this combination is in the hands of not more than a dozen big dealers, for they control the contract coal in this town. Numbers of them have openly boasted of the big sums they are making. Why, one of them made his boast before Mr. Mayer, but that was before this prosecution started.

"To show how the manufacturers are being treated, just take my case. Last March I made my contract for a year at $1.28 a ton for screenings. I got supplies all right until the end of November. Then I got a letter from the firm saying that the Pan-Handle railroad had placed an embargo on coal, and as this was included in the contract as a reason for nonfulfillment, they would be unable to furnish me with coal any longer. I took up the matter with the railroad, and they said at once that they had placed no embargo on coal—on the contrary, were giving good service.

Dealer Caught in Falsehood.

"I went back with this to the dealers and asked them for the numbers of the cars they had consigned to me, telling them that I would take the responsibility of getting the coal delivered. They gave me two car numbers. I had the railroad people send tracers after the cars and found that one had been wrecked while going to the mines to be loaded and the other had never been in that part of the country at all. I asked for coal and they gave me a lie.

"When I went back at them again they wrote and advised me to go into the open market and get my coal where I could. In other words, they wanted me to play into their hands by joining the others who were bidding prices up to enormous figures. They have simply passed the consumers along from one to the other."

Dealers Deny Any Combination.

The large coal dealers expressed their belief that the investigation would disclose no illegal combinations. Nor would it cause a reduction in prices, they asserted. With the first cold weather or with a snowfall which would blockade the railroads they said prices would advance.

"If anything interferes with the railroads," said T. J. O'Gara of O'Gara, King & Co., "the price of coal will go way up. If a season of extremely cold weather should come prices will go soaring. If anything increases the demand for coal or interferes with the supply the prices will go still higher. There is no tendency to drop.

"The dealers have nothing to fear from the grand jury. There is no combination to my knowledge, and there could not be any without our firm being aware of it.

"There is sufficient coal to be had from hand to mouth. That is about all. A man cannot get a month's supply ahead."

Coal Higher in New York.

"Our firm has nothing to fear from a grand jury investigation," said Henry E. Weaver of the Weaver Coal company. "There is no combination of dealers that I know of. There is none to which our company belongs. In some cases prices undoubtedly seem high, but it should be remembered that the east is pulling coal away from the west and paying higher prices for it. Coal in New York sells for $7.25 which can be bought for $5.50 here. The average increase on coal in our yards is 50 and 75 cents a ton. We will sell coal at the yards for $4.50 a ton if the consumer comes and takes it away. The profits in the business are being divided all along the line."

Rend Asks for the Proof.

"The stories which have appeared about the coal men are untrue," said W. P. Rend. "I challenge the Illinois Manufacturers' association, Levy Mayer, or the city council to prove any of the things they have been saying against the dealers. There is not now, nor has there been, any concerted action to keep up prices. They are forced up by natural causes which the public well knows. There has not been any meeting of coal men for months. No two dealers sell for the same figures. The dealers are themselves paying high prices for their supplies. Few of them have yearly contracts with the mine operators, and the operators are asking more for their coal than usual."

A. L. Sweet Denies Raising Price.

"There's nothing in it," said A. L. Sweet of the Chicago, Wilmington and Vermilion company. "At least there is nothing in it, so far as our company is concerned. We have not put up prices, and we have no free coal to sell. We have been barely able to keep our customers supplied. But we have not raised figures on our contract customers, and we don't propose to do so. I think the attorney general had better devote his investigation to the mines around Springfield. Those are the fellows who have had free coal to sell at high prices."

Much Suffering Among the Poor.

Men who have been relieving cases of distress declare that the citizens comfortably fixed in life have no conception of the suffering among the extremely poor. One man who has paid out $2,500 since the coal famine started declared that there had been no such condition in the city before to his knowledge.

"I have twenty and thirty applications for aid at a time," he said. "I am not able to get among the people and find out just what their condition is, but from the information I receive it must be pitiful. Coal is as essential to these people as bread. An increase in meat prices would not affect them. A scarcity in hardly any commodity would cause so much suffering as the lack of coal."

One instance which he related as coming to his knowledge was that of four families which had pooled their money to buy a ton of coal. This was to have been delivered to them for $4.50, and to raise the necessary money took all their available funds. In one of the families there was a little girl seriously sick, and it was absolutely necessary that fuel should be provided. When the families had raised the money they discovered that the dealer would not deliver it for less than $7 or $8 a ton. Then they mortgaged their household furniture and made up the sum needed.

Attorney General Coming Again.

Attorney General Hamlin expects to leave Springfield tonight for Chicago to prosecute his investigations. His three emissaries have been active in their work of gathering information in the coal fields, and they are expected in Springfield today to submit their reports. Their inquiries have been conducted along the Illinois Central, the Alton, and the Wabash railroads. The attorney general is not making public any of the evidence he has obtained, but it is understood that he has not secured sufficient information to warrant his proceeding against any of the railroads or mineowners for violating anti-trust laws.

NEXT SPEAKER OF THE ILLINOIS HOUSE.

JOHN H. MILLER

The caucus of republican members of the Illinois house of representatives yesterday nominated John H. Miller of McLeansboro for speaker by a vote of 49 to 39, Lawrence Y. Sherman being the rival candidate. This insures the election of Mr. Miller, as the Sherman men will stand by the action of the caucus and vote for the nominee. The selection was the finish of a long and bitter fight between the two factions. Mr. Miller represents the state administration wing of the party.

COAL PRICES GO UP IN INDIANA.

Indianapolis Dealers Add 25 to 50 Cents a Ton and Attorney General Promises an Investigation.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 6.—Anthracite coal, what little there is, was offered at $12 a ton in this city today. All other coals were advanced from 25 to 50 cents a ton at the meeting of the coal exchange. Anthracite yesterday was selling at $9 a ton. The famine in steam coal continues and all the factories are running close. The attorney general has promised to investigate the shortage.

Harmon, Ill., Without Fuel.

Sterling, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Unless coal arrives in the village of Harmon within the next three days the people of that place will face a serious condition. At the present time there is not a pound of coal for sale in the city and almost half of the population are out of coal. The situation in this city is also acute.

Advance Prices in Indiana.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The price of coal at the mines in Indiana has been advanced 25 cents a ton, and the Terre Haute Retailers' association lifted the price to $4.50, the highest ever known here, in the center of the field, and $2 higher than a year ago this time. There is no shortage, but the operators say the Chicago demand makes the price.

VEST LASHES REPUBLICANS.

Declares They Are Responsible for Coal Shortage Because They Have Done Nothing to Remedy It.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Feeble in the extreme and supporting himself on his desk, Mr. Vest of Missouri, in the senate today, called attention to the condition of distress which had arisen as a result of the shortage in the coal supply. He said the question was no longer a partisan one, but one of humanity, and that we are not on the verge of a crisis, but actually in it. He charged the republican senators with being silent and dumb to the state of affairs, having only in mind the party cry, "stand pat." He characterized the Dingley tariff act as a "sacred elephant," with which nothing was to be done. He sarcastically remarked that if the whole question was one of raising money for the next presidential campaign that was the end of the discussion.

BIG FIRMS FORM AN ALLIANCE.

Three Coal Companies with a Capital of $31,750,000 Combine for Mutual Interests.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 6.—Three of the biggest coal companies in the United States today formed an alliance, which, for all practical purposes, will be a combination. The companies involved are: The Consolidation Coal company of Maryland, the Fairmount Coal company of West Virginia, the Somerset Coal company of Pennsylvania. The combined capital stock of the companies is $31,750,000. The new arrangement, it is said, does not mean the consolidation or combination of the three companies, but is simply for the purpose of putting the large and important coal interests of those companies on a better working basis.

RICH MAN HELD AS PRISONER.

Refuses to Pay Judgment Secured by Boy He Is Said to Have Blinded by Blow.

Plattsburg, Pa., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—David Fleming, a grandson of Mrs. David Fleming of Philadelphia, is a prisoner within the limits of the Essex county jail at Elizabethtown, N. Y., in default of a judgment against him for $6,000. On July 21 last, while playing golf at Lake Placid, young Fleming, it is alleged, became angry at making a "foozle," and in a burst of fury threw his golf stick at the caddy, George Salem. The boy was hit in the eye and the sight was destroyed. Fleming paid all the bills, amounting to $75, and gave the boy $50. However, suit was brought for $10,000. The jury awarded a verdict of $6,000 and costs. Fleming yesterday gave himself up to the sheriff, furnishing a bond of $18,000. According to law he must stay within the jail limits for six months, when his bondsman is released.

REPORTS ON POSTOFFICE ROW.

Indianola, Miss., Politician Forwards Account of Affair to Senator McLaurin at Capital.

Indianola, Miss., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—P. C. Chapman, candidate for Circuit judge, and one of the most prominent lawyers in Mississippi, in response to a telegram from Washington, mailed Senator McLaurin a statement of the situation and its origin today. The statement emphatically denies that any threats of intimidation were made at any time against Mrs. Minnie Cox, postmistress. The statement recites further that the woman's resignation was voluntary, after she had received a petition asking that she give up the office.

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PENROSE NAMED AT HARRISBURG.

Pennsylvania Senator Is Renominated by the Joint Republican Caucus.

MESSAGE FROM GOV. STONE

Executive Urges Legislature to Pass Compulsory Arbitration Law.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The legislature organized today by the election of Henry T. Walton of Philadelphia as speaker and John M. Scott of the same city as president pro tempore of the senate. After listening to the governor's message, both houses adjourned until tomorrow, after which a recess will be taken until Jan. 19. The election for United States senator will be held on Jan. 21, and as the republicans have a majority of 144 on joint ballot, Boies Penrose, who was nominated by the caucus tonight, will be reëlected.

In his message Gov. Stone devotes considerable space to the recent anthracite coal strike. He says the strike of the anthracite miners and their associate workmen was the most important and far reaching event of its kind that ever occurred in the state, and that the expenses incurred by the state in connection with the disturbances caused by the strike will exceed $1,000,000.

Urges Compulsory Arbitration.

The governor urged the passage of a law to prevent future labor disturbances. He said:

"In my judgment, a compulsory arbitration law could and should be passed for the settlement of difficulties between employer and employé. Such a law is entirely constitutional and feasible from a police standpoint, looking upon strikes as injurious to the public, harmful to society, and destructive to life and property. They are generally settled after all harm has been done. Why should they not be settled before the harm is done and before large losses occur to life and property?

"We should recognize strikes as existing evils and as dangerous to the public good, and while mindful of the rights of both employer and employé, adjust them from a higher standpoint—namely: for the good of society, the preservation of public peace and life and property.

"When a large strike is settled we delude ourselves with the thought that no more will occur. We should contemplate them as likely to again occur with the same results as in the past. Without criticising employers or employés, without blaming either, we should so legislate as to prevent the recurrence of these disturbances."

Bolt in New York Senate.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The threatened break in the republican forces in the senate has come. Senators Brackett, Brown, and Elsberg remained away from the republican senatorial caucus tonight. They will vote against Senator John Raines for leader tomorrow, will oppose the approval by the senate of the committees which will be handed down by Lieut. Gov. Higgins, and so it was asserted by Senator Brackett, will be against the reëlection of Senator Thomas C. Platt. Brown and Elsberg, while they admitted they would stand with Brackett so far as the organization of the senate was concerned, were réticent as to their position with regard to Senator Platt's reëlection.

Delaware Legislature Organized.

Dover, Del., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The Delaware legislature organized today, the union republicans and regulars dividing the offices. William Ellison, a regular, was made president pro tem. of the senate, and Henry S. Anthony, a union republican, is speaker of the house. Balloting for United States senator will begin Jan. 20. The Addicks adherents claim that he will have twenty-five votes, or two more than necessary to elect.

Rhode Island's New Governor.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 6.—Gov. T. F. C. Garvin, the first democrat to be elected governor in Rhode Island in ten years, was inaugurated today and the new state government took the oath of office.

Alger Named for the Senate.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 6.—Senator Russell A. Alger of Detroit, who is at present serving in the United States senate by appointment of Gov. Bliss, was tonight nominated by the joint republican caucus of the legislature to fill out the unexpired term of former Senator James McMillan, who died at Manchester, Mass., last August. There was no other candidate. As the republicans have an overwhelming majority in the legislature Senator Alger's election on Jan. 20 is assured.

Minnesota Solons at Work.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 6.—The Minnesota legislature convened at the capitol at noon today. The house was called to order by Secretary of State Hanson and the members were sworn in. L. W. Babcock was elected speaker.

South Dakota Legislature.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 6.—The new state officers were sworn in at noon today and the legislature convened in the afternoon. The contest for removal of the state capital from Pierre is a feature of the session. There is no opposition to the election of A. B. Kittredge as United States senator to succeed Senator Kyle, deceased, his nomination taking place today.

Kentucky to Have Primaries.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The Court of Appeals this afternoon decided in favor of the democratic state executive committee, and the state officers to be nominated this summer will be chosen by a primary election and not by a delegate convention. This is a signal victory for Gov. Beckham, who, it is claimed, can be renominated in a fair primary, but would probably be defeated by the politicians were mass conventions held.

NEW MOVE AGAINST WOLCOTT.

Colorado Fuel and Iron Company Enters Senatorial Contest to Defeat the Candidate.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The Colorado Fuel and Iron company has entered into the senatorial contest with the avowed intention of defeating Edward O. Wolcott. Whether it will succeed or not is a matter of conjecture, but political representatives of the company are on the ground and commenced work this morning in conjunction with P. B. Stewart and the other republican anti-Wolcott leaders. Mr. Wolcott's scalp is wanted because of the fear that Mr. Wolcott as a United States senator might work with the steel trust when the time comes for it to make another fight for control of the company.

Senator Hansbrough Renominated.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—H. C. Hansbrough was nominated by the republican caucus tonight to succeed himself as United States senator.

PACKERS APPEAL IN MISSOURI.

Exceptions to Report Finding Them Guilty of Breaking Anti-Trust Laws Are Filed.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 6.—Attorneys for the packers filed exceptions in the Supreme court today to the report of Special Commissioner Kinley, who found them guilty of violation of the anti-trust laws, in combining and fixing prices for dressed meats sold in Missouri.

Girl Asleep 100 Days.

Centralia, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Dora Meeks, the "sleeping girl," has not yet recovered consciousness. This is the one hundredth day she has been in a trance.

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POWERS NOT TO RAISE BLOCKADE.

Germany and England Reply to Castro's Counter Proposal for Arbitration.

READY TO MAKE TERMS.

Answer Paves Way to Peace Without Resort to The Hague.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, Jan. 6.—Germany, Great Britain, and Italy refuse to raise the blockade of the Venezuelan coast until President Castro accepts their proposals for arbitration on the conditions already submitted to him. The powers, in a joint note replying to Castro's demand that the blockade be raised pending arbitration, seek to smooth the way for a settlement, which may possibly be reached without the arbitration of The Hague tribunal. The powers, however, do not abandon any of the reservations contained in their original proposal.

Terms Are Not Modified.

The question of raising the blockade will only be opened after President Castro's complete acceptance of the powers' reservations. The state of war is not modified by today's note.

The German foreign office takes cognizance of the statement emanating from Washington, that a group of German financiers is forming to pay Germany's claims against Venezuela, the ultimate purpose being to prevent the United States from building the isthmian canal. The foreign office says this is quite untrue, and further asserts that the German government hopes the United States will build the canal as quickly as possible. So far from interposing any obstacle, Germany regards that her own trade interests will be subserved by the opening of an interoceanic route.

Hay Has Powers' Reply.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Secretary Hay has received the British answer to President Castro's last proposal relative to arbitration. It is assumed that the British note reflects the views of the German government, as the allies have been acting in harmony so far.

The note is interlocutory, but in substance states that if Venezuela wishes a conference with a view to submitting the differences between the two countries to arbitration Great Britain will accede.

The conditions attached vary slightly from the original British proposition, but in the judgment of officials here the differences between the allies and Venezuela in respect to arbitration are much diminished and there is warrant for the expectation that the case will now surely go to The Hague. The next step will be a reply from President Castro.

American Warship Carries Mail.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

CARACAS, Jan. 6.—The American gunboat Marietta arrived off La Guayra this afternoon with 287 bags of mail from Curacos, where it had been transshipped from the French, Dutch, and Red D line steamers. The Marietta remained outside the line of the blockade and sent the mails ashore in small boats.

This morning the commander of the German cruiser Gazelle ordered the authorities at Puerto Cabello to replace without delay the guns that were removed from forts there subsequent to the recent bombardment. This is impossible, as the guns are not in the city, but are probably being used against the revolutionists.

Only Compliment to Roosevelt.

A high official of the Venezuelan government said today: "I am greatly surprised that importance has been given to the last of the several propositions contained in President Castro's answer to the powers in the matter of referring the Venezuelan difficulty to the arbitration of The Hague tribunal. This proposition was intended simply as a compliment to President Roosevelt. It was only a complimentary alternative."

President Castro's troops have captured all the ammunition destined for the Matos revolutionists which the allied powers permitted to reach the Venezuelan coast at Coro.

Matos Preparing to Fight.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, Jan. 6.—A dispatch from La Guayra to the Matin says the revolutionary general, Matos, is awaiting until Coro has been captured before returning to Venezuela and resuming command of the revolutionary forces. He has issued a manifesto calling on all his supporters and all enemies of the government to join his army. He counts on the assistance of Gen. Rolando, the revolutionary general, who is now near Caracas.

Italy Sends More Cruisers.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—A dispatch to the Central News from Rome says the Italian cruisers Puglia, Cristoforo Colombo, and Dogali have been ordered to the Caribbean.

Official Story of Bombardment.

LA GUAYRA, Venezuela, Dec. 2?.—[Correspondence.]—The commodore of the British cruiser Montgomerie, who directed the Anglo-German bombardment of the fortifications at Porto Cabello on Dec. 14, gives the following account of the operations:

"A British merchant ship, the Topaz, which was peacefully lying at anchor in the harbor, was boarded at night by Venezuelans and the crew in their shirts were hurried ashore, marched through the streets, and cast into a filthy prison, where they remained without food or water. Under a strong guard they were marched back to their ship the next day and compelled to lower the colors.

"When I arrived at Porto Cabello I at once demanded an apology and assurances that the act would not be repeated. In reply I was informed that a mob was responsible for the outrage and that the matter would have to be referred to higher authority.

Notice Before Firing.

"Before opening fire I gave ample notice to the military authorities to remove the political prisoners, and assured the inhabitants of the town that no injury would be done them. There was a feeble response to our fire from the battery, but none from the fort, the soldiers in which fled like rats. They left behind a general, twelve other officers, and twenty soldiers, and a number of criminal prisoners. After bombarding nineteen minutes and making good practice, we ceased firing, and a guard was landed and took possession of the fort, receiving the surrender of the general and his men. They were immediately paroled. The criminal prisoners were held and turned over to responsible authority."

KING OF SERVIA HAS A SCARE.

Notes Regarding the Mission of Czar's Envoy to Bucharest Stolen from His Writing Table.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

VIENNA, Jan. 6.—There is great excitement at Nish, where the Servian court is staying, owing to the fact that the notes which King Alexander made in regard to the mission of Count Lansdorff, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, have been stolen from his writing table.

POPE WEAKER: NO ALARM FELT.

Leo XIII. Eats Little but Often and Is at Work on Two Encyclicals.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ROME, Jan. 6.—The pope is weaker than formerly, but there is no cause for anxiety. He eats little but often. It is reported that he is preparing two new encyclicals, one on divorce and the other on dueling.

Cardinal Richard Ill in Paris.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PARIS, Jan. 6.—Cardinal Richard, archbishop of Paris, is so ill that he is compelled to remain in bed. It is reported that he is weak.

FIREBOAT ILLINOIS TRIES SEARCHLIGHT WHICH WILL LESSEN PERIL OF MUSHAM'S RIVER CREW.

Armed with a searchlight of 60,000 candle power trained from its prow, the fire tug Illinois explored the nocturnal mysteries of the Chicago river last night as far as Twelfth street. Farther than that, Capt. William Burroughs deemed it inadvisable to penetrate without additional light. It was not a quest for pirates, but a trial of the new searchlights with which the fleet of fire tugs in the Chicago and Calumet rivers will be equipped.

The addition of electric searchlights to the tugs has been the dream of the river fire force for years. Life is altogether too adventurous to the fighters of river front blazes, as in addition to the usual danger of the firemen there is the risk of life in navigating the dark channel at night, and of making hazardous landings at unsafe docks and hauling the hose over unknown wharves.

The trip last night fully demonstrated the need of the searchlight. Leaving the foot of La Salle street, Capt. Burroughs steered the Illinois up the river. The great light was flashed from wall to wall of towering factories, exposing acres of lumber hookers and bringing to view dark clusters of piles and wreckage. At the end of the trial trip Twelfth street viaduct was lighted as never before between dusk and dawn. The accompanying drawing shows how the new searchlight will aid the firemen when in action.

GRAIN DUTY PAYS BRITAIN

TAXES DURING LAST YEAR AMOUNTED TO $37,500,000.

Consumer Pays the Added Cost on Wheat, Barley, and Oats and Yet the Cereals Are Cheaper than They Were Before the Tax Was Imposed—Same Is True of Sugar—On Other Hand Untaxed Meat and Coffee Are Higher in Price.

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[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 7, 3 a. m.—The revenue from the grain duties and sugar tax promises to exceed $37,500,000 for the fiscal year. These taxes have been collected without any increased cost of sugar, wheat, barley, or oats to the consumer. The prices of wheat, barley, and oats are now from two shillings sevenpence to three shillings lower per quarter than they were before the duties were imposed. Those duties have been more than counteracted by the conditions of supply. The sugar tax has also been more than neutralized by abundant supplies, so that consumers have not suffered from the duties levied reluctantly by Sir Michael Hicks-Beach two years ago. Convenient as it may be for the liberals in the by-elections to raise loud outcries against the oppressive taxation of the masses through the abandonment of free trade principles, meat and coffee have both risen in price through the conditions of defective supply, although there has been no change in tariff arrangements. The sugar and grain duties might have been doubled without increased cost to the consumers, as prices have averaged during the year.

Germans Are Impatient.

A growing feeling of impatience at Berlin over the prospect of a prolonged delay in the settlement of the Venezuelan claims is noted suspiciously by a good many writers for the press. The German embassy here is reported as reflecting the opinion of the Berlin foreign office that the award must be made within three months from the opening of proceedings before The Hague tribunal.

The slightest indication of resentment on the part of the American press over German strictures of the Monroe doctrine would be the signal for a vigorous denunciation of the British foreign office for persevering in an alliance which has been disliked from the outset. Even with the evident lack of excitement in America there are warnings from the provincial press that Lord Lansdowne must make strenuous efforts to remove the obstacles which Germany is placing in the way of a speedy settlement and elaborate arguments in determination of the position that British interests will be served by a frank acceptance of the Monroe doctrine as a safeguard against European schemes of annexation or partition of the western hemisphere. The fate of the Balfour government would be sealed if Germany, with Great Britain supporting her, were involved in complications with the United States.

Work for St. Louis Fair.

Lieut. Godfrey L. Carden of the United States revenue cutter service is now in Manchester in the interest of the St. Louis exposition, his chief object being to advise Lancashire manufacturers with reference to facilities which are open to them in connection with the scheme for the power plant of machinery hall. Instead of securing power wholly in America, Thomas M. Moore, chief of the machinery department, has authorized him to invite offerings from various points in Europe, and already about half the necessary 40,000 horse power has been accepted. Carden was negotiating with French manufacturers until a few days ago, when he received cable instructions to proceed to England and invite British firms to make displays on the same basis as afforded others. He says German and French houses are prepared to take full advantage of the opportunities which St. Louis offers.

Sidney Lee's Lecture Plans.

Sidney Lee expects to arrive in New York at the end of the month on his way to Boston, where he will deliver a course of eight lectures at the Lowell institute on "Great Englishmen of the Sixteenth Century." He will give lectures at Harvard, Yale, and Wellesley colleges. During February he will deliver the Trask lecture at Princeton on "Foreign Influences on Shakspeare" and subsequently lecture before Columbia, Johns Hopkins university, Pennsylvania, Cornell, Western Reserve, Vassar, Wells, and several clubs and institutions. He hopes to visit Chicago, Cincinnati, and western universities in April.

Weds a Boston Widow.

Lord and Lady Charles Beresford, Prince and Princess Dolgourouki, and many titled people attended the marriage yesterday of Sir Seymour Blane and Mrs. Blake, widow of William Blake of Boston. The bridegroom, who was in his 70th year and had seen service in the Crimea and Indian mutiny, received a walking stick from the king as a wedding present. I. N. F.

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SULTAN BREAKS A TREATY

OPENING OF THE DARDANELLES IS PROTESTED BY ENGLAND.

Turkey Authorizes Russia to Send Four Disarmed Torpedo Boats Through the Long Closed Strait Leading to the Mediterranean—Germany Refuses to Interfere—Result May be Abrogation of Treaty of 1856, Permitting Warships to Pass.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 6.—The British embassy has addressed a note to the porte protesting against the passage of four Russian torpedo destroyers through the Dardanelles to the Black sea.

The note pointed out that such action constituted a violation of the international treaties providing for the closing of the Dardanelles to war vessels of all countries.

The note goes on to say that if Russian vessels are allowed to pass Great Britain reserves the right to demand similar privileges for her warships. The protest has caused a bad impression and even irritation in Russian quarters.

There is much concern in Turkish circles over the British attitude.

This matter came up last September, and the porte finally concluded that the Russian way of thinking was right and therefore authorized the passage of the boats, and they will be allowed to pass through the Dardanelles immediately.

Germany Sides with Russia.

BERLIN, Jan. 6.—The German government declines to associate itself with the protest of Great Britain and Italy to the porte concerning the passage through the Dardanelles into the Black sea of four unarmed Russian torpedo boat destroyers, and that it has informed Russia to that effect.

May Abrogate the Treaty.

LONDON, Jan. 7, 3 a. m.—Great Britain's protest to the opening of the Dardanelles to Russian torpedo boats will, it is believed, lead to the virtual abrogation of the treaty of Paris closing that strait.

To Germany's refusal to associate herself with Great Britain's protest is mainly due the comparative calmness towards Russia with which the press regards the incident, which a while ago would have called out fiery editorials. Russophobia is not dead in British breasts, but if the English do not love Russia more they love the Germans less, and the reported aloofness of the kaiser's government causes more rankling here than Russia's alleged evasion of that treaty.

The press generally indorses the government's protest and condemns the Russian action as a breach of the treaty and Turkey's acquiescence as a dangerous precedent.

GEN. PALMA STARTS ON A TRIP.

Cuban President and Other Officials Go to Pinar del Rio—Republicans Support Reciprocity Treaty.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

HAVANA, Jan. 6.—President Palma, accompanied by several of the secretaries and a large party of officials, has started on a trip to Pinar del Rio. He will return on Friday.

The republicans, who are now the governmental party, are employing the recess of congress in holding a series of meetings in the province of Santa Clara. They favor the formation of a fusion party on conservative lines. The proposed treaty with the United States is strongly supported. Señor Capote, president of the senate, at one of the meetings said that the government had pledged its word of honor that the army would be paid and therefore the matter might be regarded as settled.

Señor Sagol, civil governor of Santiago, telegraphs that the chamber of commerce of Santiago considers that the reciprocity treaty with the United States will be highly beneficial to the interests of Cuba.

News comes from Santiago that Señor Corona, the newspaper man who recently shot Señor Insua, the editor of a paper in that city, was arrested by order of a judge pending a decision of the house of representatives, of which Corona is a member, regarding his prosecution. In the meantime, Corona has been released in $1,000 bail.

WILL PAY TAFT VALE AWARD.

English Labor Union Will Not Appeal from the Decision of the Court.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Richard Bell, M. P., the general secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants, announced today that the union has decided not to appeal the case of the Taft Vale railway company, which was decided against them on Dec. 20. The Taft Vale railway company sued the union for $140,000 because of the action of the labor leaders in ordering a strike on the road in August, 1900. The court gave judgment in favor of the railway company. Mr. Bell says the union will pay the railway company the damages which were assessed by the court.

GERMANY PLANS FOR FAIR

BUDGET CONTAINS AN ITEM OF $375,000 FOR EXHIBIT.

Minister of the Interior Urges Necessity of Being Represented at the St. Louis Exposition—Action of France and Great Britain Make It Imperative That Berlin Government Do Not Neglect the Show—Commercial Relations May Be Aided.

BERLIN, Jan. 6.—The budget presented in the reichstag today appropriates the first installment of $375,000 for the German exhibit at the St. Louis exposition and places the total requirement at from $625,000 to $750,000.

A memorandum from the ministry of the interior explaining this item says:

"However undesirable it may appear that an international exposition on the largest scale should follow so soon after the Paris exposition, and however great the obligation to avoid every unnecessary expenditure may be, the empire cannot do otherwise than accept the offer to exhibit at the St. Louis exposition after France and Great Britain have accepted.

Sees Benefit to Commerce.

"This decision is dictated not only out of regard for our friendly relations with the United States, but reasons of a purely commercial nature more urgently required our acceptance."

The ministry considers that in view of the recent Paris and Dusseldorf expositions Germany is hardly disposed to bear the expense of a comprehensive representation at St. Louis, and the German exhibits, therefore, will be confined substantially to sculpture, painting, and the industrial arts.

Italy to Be an Exhibiter.

ROME, Jan. 6.—It has been semi-officially announced here that the Italian government will participate officially in the St. Louis exposition. Parliament, which meets Jan. 27, will be asked for a first appropriation of $200,000 for this purpose.

EVICT 700 MINERS' FAMILIES.

British Police Expel Strikers from Company Houses at Denaby, Near Sheffield.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The mining village of Denaby, between Sheffield and Doncaster, was the scene today of evictions by the wholesale. Seven months ago the miners struck because of a dispute with the owners. Many offers were made to settle the trouble, but they all failed. The owners recently notified 700 of the strikers who were occupying houses owned by the colliery company that if the strike was not settled they would be evicted. The ultimatum expired today. A number of families voluntarily left their dwellings. The others made no opposition and stood in silence while their furniture and other household effects were removed to the streets, mothers and fathers standing holding their children by their hands until their homes were emptied. The scene was pitiful, but it was mitigated by the help bestowed upon the people evicted by tradesmen, coworkers, and others, who provided tents and other shelter.

DANCE IN PALACE OF MOGUL.

Brilliant Ceremony Proves One of the Grandest of the Durbar Festivities at Delhi.

DELHI, India, Jan. 6.—The state ball tonight in the palace of the grand mogul proved one of the most attractive features of the durbar festivities. The European dance among the columns and pillars of the palace was a strange and wonderful sight.

When a fanfare of silver trumpets at 10 o'clock announced the arrival of the viceroy, Lord Curzon of Keddleston, the scene was a brilliant one. Lady Curzon was gowned in gold brocade and wore a magnificent tiara and necklace of diamonds, with four rubies that had belonged to the king of Theebaw. Some 5,000 guests were present, among them the duke of Connaught, Lord Kitchener, and all the prominent personages in India and the duchess of Marlborough and numerous other Americans.

Lord and Lady Curzon and the duke and duchess of Connaught, on the royal dais, received scores of native princes whose costumes were dazzling creations.

KOCH GOES TO STUDY PLAGUE.

Bacteriologist Sails for Rhodesia to Investigate Cattle Disease and Seek Proof of Theory.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

BERLIN, Jan. 6.—Prof. Koch, the noted bacteriologist, will sail tomorrow from Hamburg for Beira to investigate the cattle plague in Rhodesia. He will be accompanied by Drs. Kleine and Neufeld. He is taking a whole cargo of apparatus and chemicals, not knowing what will be the most useful. He proposes to live among the herds to observe every phase of the disease. Incidentally, he will continue his tuberculosis experiments with the view to obtaining positive evidence that bovine tuberculosis cannot be communicated to human beings, a theory to which he unshakenly adheres.

BIG DANCE IS A "SIZZLER"

FIRST WARD DEMOCRATS BREAK SOME RECORDS.

Fifteen Thousand Persons Fill the Coliseum When Ald. Coughlin, Wearing a "Dream" of a Vest, Leads the Grand March—Music Is Drowned by the Cries and Laughter of the Merrymakers and the Shuffling of Feet.

The water wagon broke down yesterday and the First ward democratic masquerade ball last night at the Coliseum was a glittering success. Ald. Coughlin led the grand march, in solemn and solitary splendor, and 15,000 persons filled the big hall. Never had so great a crowd attended any previous ball, the politicians said.

"It is the best we have ever had," Ald. Coughlin affirmed.

The alderman was clad in the regulation dress suit, for his dignity would not permit him to don the guise of a masquerader. He wore a vest of pale forgetmenots dreamily set in a field of purest white.

"Last year the attendance was 10,000, showing a clear gain of 5,000 this season," he continued. "The increase means just one thing—victory for the democratic ticket at the spring election."

"Among Those Present."

The other First ward representative, Ald. Kenna, was more retiring, and, while cheerfully lending his presence to the affair, had little to say of its success.

Many other notables of the First ward occupied boxes or contributed to the ball by dancing. Andy Craig looked on. Stephen A. Douglas sat through the early part of the evening, an interested spectator, and, with Mrs. Douglas, headed the procession behind Ald. Coughlin's leadership when the grand march was formed. C. F. Gunther kept to himself in the gallery. Congressman Martin Emerich was there, also.

"How are you, Mr. Emerich?" a constituent inquired.

"Sober," was the laconic reply, and it gave the speaker distinction enough.

Ald. Young observed the merrymaking from a safe distance, but did not participate. The coroner's office was represented by Coroner Traeger and Deputies Feldstein and Buckley.

Recognize a Face.

Justice Hall and Justice Prindiville were there, all smiles, which only broadened when two masked young women passed close by and accosted Justice Prindiville with:

"Good morning, Judge."

The tones were those familiar to the morning's session at Harrison street, and the party with the justice laughed heartily at his expense.

The galleries were filled to their seating capacity and the dancing floor could have accommodated no more revelers. The musicians blew themselves red in the face, and still their notes got lost in the rafters, and at the ends of the hall nothing could be heard but the cries, shouts, and laughter of the merrymakers and the scraping of hundreds of feet. As for the café, in the south annex, it was a wild sea of struggling humanity.

The grand march moved off promptly at 1 a. m., but the last of the revelers did not leave for home until the chimes of Grace church were sounding 6 in the morning.

TRAINMEN MAY LOSE FIGHT FOR AN INCREASE IN WAGES.

All Railroads Entering St. Louis Said to Have Refused Request of Western Employes for 20 Per Cent Advance.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 6.—It is stated by a railroad official high in authority, who requested the suppression of his name, that the request of the committee of trainmen of the western systems to increase wages 20 per cent has been decisively refused by all the roads in St. Louis.

Officials of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors hurried to St. Louis, Mo., yesterday, where they have decided to establish headquarters during the present movement to gain a 20 per cent increase in wages for their members. While there they will enter into negotiations with the Brotherhoods of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen and the Order of the Railroad Telegraphers to form a federation of unions for mutual protection and benefit. This federation, if formed, will unite under one central head all the large railroad organizations of the west.

EDELWEISS TOLD TO CLOSE BAR

Well Known Garden and Other South Side Places Ordered to Cease Dispensing Liquors.

The proprietors of the Edelweiss garden, Fifty-first street and Cottage Grove avenue, and of the other places included in Mayor Harrison's edict were notified by the police last night to cease dispensing liquors at once. Wallschlag's place is included in the order.

Pick out any diamond and pay as you like. Loftis Bros., 92 State street.

BAD WORD FOR EVANSTON

DR. M. M. PARKHURST POINTS OUT THE FAULTS OF THE SUBURB.

Influx of Wealth and Extravagance Has Given Town a Tone That Makes It Not the Best for Poor College Student, According to the Minister's View—University Atmosphere Lacking in the Clubs and in Society—Temptation Near Devon Avenue.

The title "university town," as applied to Evanston, was declared to be a misnomer by the Rev. M. M. Parkhurst in an address delivered at a meeting of the Prohibition alliance in the suburb last night. A moneyed aristocracy, he said, completely overshadowed the university in the social life of the place, which is dangerous for young people in college.

The declaration was the severest criticism that has ever been made against Evanston by one of its prominent citizens from a public platform. It came in the course of an address on the subject, "Is Evanston a Safe Place for Parents to Send Their Sons and Daughters?"

The subject was announced in the local papers of Evanston a week ago and prominent citizens approached Dr. Parkhurst, asking him not to speak on it.

Situation to Be Faced.

"I spent considerable study over the matter," he said, "and concluded that it was a situation that had to be faced. The pious conceit of the Evanston people is such that the name of the town should be prefixed with an H. They can see nothing wrong here—no temptations for young men and women—and appear content with things as they are. Therefore I had to refuse the requests to abandon the subject.

"I do not say Evanston is the worst place in the world to which parents can send their children to school, but it is certainly not nearly as safe a place as other towns that I know of where colleges are located. It is known as a university town in other places. The facts are that a person could live here for weeks and never come in contact with any university society or notice any considerable influence exercised on the town by the university.

"The greatest trouble with Evanston is that there is too much Chicago money here. It is the dominating factor in the society of the town and completely overshadows the university in importance. The members of the faculty are not prominent in the town's clubs and students are never permitted to get in touch with its affairs.

Sons of the Rich an Example.

"The good influence which the town might exert on the lives of the students is lacking, while its disorganizing influences are felt everywhere. The sons of the wealthy families are given leisure and money. These two things will ruin any ordinary boy. These town boys set a hot pace, socially, and the students, who are mostly poor, look upon them with admiration. They become fascinated with the indolent life of the young men of the town, and many times they try to imitate them. In this manner the downfall of many a student has come about.

"The proximity of the town to Chicago is not the least of the dangers that await the young man entering the university. Practically, Evanston is a part of Chicago, and the student finds access easy to the saloons at Devon avenue, or the dangerous places in the downtown district, without fear of discovery by the university authorities."

Higher Cost of Living.

"This predominance of wealth over learning has increased the cost of living over what it should be. Forty or fifty wealthy families, with more money than they know what to do with, are willing to pay more for food and service than they are worth, and the result is that every one else has to pay the same prices. If these families choose to pay 25 cents a pound for beef, that is the price fixed for every one, and the result is that it costs more to live than should be the case in a university town.

"There is no evidence that Evanston is growing better. Poolrooms have been established where young men begin gambling on a small scale, and finally they begin to visit more dangerous places. My observations have led me to believe that in the last year a hundred young men have gone wrong by these influences that predominate in Evanston. Some day the well meaning people will learn that the town is not the saintly place they now think it is."

IMPROVEMENT CLUB MAPS OUT ITS WORK FOR THE NEW YEAR.

West End Citizens, Encouraged by Early Successes, Plan a Campaign for Better Conditions.

A new year's resolution in which 800 citizens have joined is set forth in a paper bound book just issued by the West End Improvement club. The club, which was started with only half a dozen members six months ago, hopes to accomplish during the year such reforms as the cleaning of alleys, the lighting of streets, better transportation, track elevation, and more adequate police and fire protection.

A series of fires that could not be reached by the department and a number of accidents on dilapidated sidewalks furnished the direct reasons for the club's existence. It already has proved its efficiency in many ways, as ordinances have been passed for the paving of cross streets in its limits and the replacing of wooden sidewalks with cement.

The club is now celebrating the appropriation of $9,400 to build a fire engine house at South Fortieth and Wilcox avenues.

THREE MORE MASCAGNI SUITS.

Heard Files Two Against Composer, Rozwadowski, and Julius Goldzier—Musician Begins Action.

Two more suits were brought yesterday against Mascagni by Richard Heard, his former manager, and Mascagni decided to take the aggressive and filed one suit himself.

Heard filed suit for $50,000 in the Circuit court against Mascagni, Consul Rozwadowski, and Julius Goldzier. He also filed a suit for $25,000 in the Superior court against the same defendants. The former suit is to collect money alleged to be due Heard from the receipts of the tour. The other defendants are involved because, it is alleged, they had a hand in using this money to send the singers back to Boston. The second suit alleges that Mascagni's refusal to continue the tour hurt Heard's reputation, and that Goldzier and Rozwadowski, with Mascagni, entered into a conspiracy to defraud Heard.

Basis for the actions, according to the plaintiff's attorneys, was obtained from Mascagni's testimony in Justice Underwood's court in the hearing on a charge of embezzlement.

Mascagni's suit asks for an injunction to restrain G. N. Loomis, Heard, and Roland S. Robbins from prosecuting suits against him. He also asks an accounting between himself and Heard.

Mascagni spent the day working on his new composition, "Gavotte of the Dolls" which will be rendered at the concert Sunday evening.

FAVORS PLAN FOR CELEBRATION

Chicago Historical Society Approves Aug. 17, 1903, as Date Marking City's Centennial Anniversary.

Through its executive committee the Chicago Historical society expressed itself yesterday in favor of the commemoration and celebration of Aug. 17, 1903, as the centennial anniversary of the founding of Chicago. Resolutions were adopted in which the committee calls attention to the fact that the date chosen marks the passage of 100 years since the federal troops, commanded by Lieut. Swearingen, established Fort Dearborn at the mouth of the Chicago river and laid the foundation of Chicago. The occasion, in the opinion of the committee, marks the real beginning of the city's history rather than the arrival of John Kinzie, as has been suggested. Besides giving the society's cordial approval to the plan for a celebration the committee declares that the organization is ready to coöperate in making the event worthy of the community.

HARLAN BLAMES POLICE "PULLS."

Tells West Side Voters That Politics Hampers Usefulness of Department.

MANY STAND BY STEWART

Thousands of Twenty-first Ward Citizens Express Their Preference.

John Maynard Harlan carried his mayoralty campaign into the Seventeenth ward last evening, when he spoke to 250 persons in Aurora Turner hall, Milwaukee avenue and Huron street. In dealing with the general topic of "A Business Administration" he declared that the police force suffered from improper management and from political and other influence that support incompetency.

"The character of the police force so far as the rank and file of the men is concerned cannot be equaled by any similar number of men engaged in any single occupation," he said. "When I am mayor of Chicago, as I confidently expect to be, the policemen will understand that strict attendance to duty will be rewarded and that nothing short of attendance to duty will be tolerated. When the policemen know this the efficiency of the force will be increased 100 per cent."

Epigrams by Harlan.

The address abounded in epigrams, among them being:

"Let us realize first how big we are and then we may be able to perceive how small we are."

"The center of our city is simply a street railway switch yard."

"Municipal ownership is not a bugaboo to me. Neither is it a brazen image nor a fetish to be worshiped blindly."

"If we wanted municipal ownership now we could not have it, but we want the right to have it if we want it when we can have it."

In closing his address Mr. Harlan said of party organization:

"The organization is the instrument of the party. When the organization declares in favor of any candidate before the members of the party have a chance to declare their will at the primaries it is misusing the power intrusted to it as custodian."

Thousands Suport Stewart.

Graeme Stewart's campaign managers yesterday gave out a long list of Twenty-first ward republicans who signed the petition indorsing his candidacy for mayor. In the ward, which is the home of both Mr. Stewart and John M. Harlan, 4,400 signatures were secured out of a possible 5,000 republican voters, and the Stewart managers say that even more signatures could have been secured had there been more time for a canvass. A few among the residents of the ward who have indicated Mr. Stewart as their first choice are:

J. J. P. Odell,
B. E. Sunny,
W. W. Tracy,
Hempstead Washburne,
C. D. Peacock,
O. W. Potter,
A. T. Galt,
Philo R. King,
W. L. Bush,
E. E. Ayer,
A. H. Revell,
James B. Richardson,
William Vocke,
Fred A. Busse,
Jacob W. Loeb,
P. S. Doane,
William K. Otis,
Thomas R. Lyon,
Charles F. Spalding,
Ralph Isham,
James McNally,
George A. Carpenter,
Fred W. Upham,
Dwight Lawrence,
John N. Jewett,
Otto C. Schneider,
Frank Hamlin,
J. A. Ryerson,
John C. King,
Harry L. Hamlin,
Judge P. S. Grosscup,
S. B. Raymond,
J. K. Dering,
John M. Smyth,
Thomas H. Cannon,
James H. Walker,
Walter Kimbark,
Henry S. Boutell,
J. P. Whedon,
William A. Angel.

The list is said to include many voters who heretofore have supported Mr. Harlan.

In addition, the People's Republican club of Englewood indorsed Mr. Stewart's candidacy, such action being taken at a largely attended meeting held at 319 West Sixty-fifth street. The club has a membership of 1,100 and is composed chiefly of business men.

O'Malley Out; Burke Dismayed.

Not since he broke with Mayor Harrison has Robert E. Burke been so agitated as he was at yesterday's meeting of the democratic county committee, when John F. O'Malley handed in his resignation as committeeman from the Twenty-second ward. He jumped over two chairs and reached for the written resignation, but Secretary Lahiff hurriedly hid it among some other documents, and as a result the anti-Harrison faction will lose another representative. O'Malley recommended his business partner, James J. Lyon, to fill the vacancy, but the Harrison committeemen are expected to ignore the suggestion.

SHOOTS MAN AGAINST WHOM HE WAS TO BE A WITNESS.

Fred Peterson Makes Mysterious Attack Upon Alfred Zander After Close of Unimportant Trial.

Following the trial of an unimportant case before Justice Underwood in the Thirty-fifth street station court yesterday, one of the witnesses and the defendant met on the street and an attempt at murder by shooting was made. The shooting was done by Fred Peterson of 3034 Lock street, and Alfred Zander, the victim, whose home is at 2925 Keeley street, sustained a dangerous wound in the thigh.

Zander appeared in court to answer a charge of larceny, and Peterson was there in the capacity of a witness against him. Peterson did not testify, and Zander paid a fine of $5 on the charge of disorderly conduct. The shooting followed. Zander is under the care of a physician.

KILLED IN LESSING ELEVATOR.

Fifteen Year Old Carl Pfister Runs Car Up in Absence of Conductor and Is Crushed.

Carl Pfister, the 15 year old son of Mrs. Emma Pfister, who lives in the Lessing apartments, Evanston avenue and Surf street, was instantly killed last evening by being crushed by the elevator in the building. The elevator man had left the car to do an errand, and the boy decided to run the car up himself. He stopped at the second floor, but when he attempted to leave the car, in some way the lever of the elevator was turned. The car started upward, catching him between the floor of the car and the ceiling of the hall. He gave one cry that was heard by several persons, but by the time they reached him he was dead. The boy's father is traveling in Europe.

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ANTI-TRUST PLAN OF PRESIDENT.

Attorney General States His Attitude and Administration Indorses It.

EVILS AND CURES GIVEN.

Senator Hoar Makes Long Speech in Defense of His Bill to Regulate Combines.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—This was anti-trust field day. Attorney General Knox, replying to requests of Senator Hoar and Representative Littlefield, addressed to them a long letter defining his attitude toward trusts, going into every phase of the trust question. Later in the day Senator Hoar delivered a long speech on trusts, explaining his recently introduced bill and urging it for passage.

Tonight there was issued from the White house a statement, indorsed by the president, giving the views of the administration on the trust problem. The White house statement is but a condensation, a summary, of the statement issued by Attorney General Knox, and by it the president indorses the attitude of the attorney general and makes his statement the official policy of the administration.

Views of the President.

The preliminary part of the White house statement gives briefly a review of the situation as follows:

"The people do not desire the business of the country to be interfered with beyond the regulation necessary to control combinations where they act improperly and to correct any tendency toward monopoly. In this country, where money is cheap and abundant and within the reach of keen and capable men, monopoly will be impossible if competition is kept free.

"Small enterprises have certain advantages over large combinations and will live and thrive if assured of an open and fair field. Rebates and discriminatory rates constitute one of the chief restrictions on competition. They unjustly swell the earnings of favored concerns, and, supporting a vast volume of capital stock, which represents nothing but unfair advantage over rivals, contribute largely to the upbuilding of monopoly.

"The situation respecting transportation discriminations and the entry of independent capital into new industries has lately been improved. It is now known that the amount of capital embarked in independent enterprises in the last two years at least equals the total capital of the great combinations formed within the previous twelve years. With assurance against predatory competition this improvement will continue.

"Individual industrial experience with the certainty of secure employment of capital may be trusted to compete effectively with such selfish combinations as are not formed for sound economic reasons, but merely in order to capitalize the country's prosperity for the benefit of their promoters. The existence of most of these combinations has not increased the productive capacity of the country; they have merely acquired the ownership of preexisting industries."

Suggestions of Attorney General.

The suggestions contained in the president's statement are identical with those of the attorney general, but are given in summarized form. The suggestions of Mr. Knox follow:

"My suggestion, therefore, is that as a first step in a policy to be persistently pursued until every industry, large and small, in the country can be assured of equal rights and opportunities, and until the tendency to monopolization of the important industries of the country is checked, that all discriminatory practices affecting interstate trade be made offenses to be enjoined and punished. Such legislation to be directed alike against those who give and those who receive the advantages thereof and to cover discrimination in prices as against competitors in particular localities resorted to for the purpose of destroying competition in interstate and foreign trade, as well as discrimination by carriers.

"Such practices are so obviously unreasonable that to inhibit them would be a measure of regulation of commerce to keep it free and unrestrained and not an attempt to exercise arbitrary power. Such legislation, to certainly reach producers guilty of practices injurious to national and international commerce, should in my judgment take the form of penalizing the transportation of the goods produced by the guilty parties, and the federal courts should be given power to restrain such transportation at the suit of the government.

Weakness of Interstate Law.

"It may be said that under the 'act to regulate commerce,' a shipper may be punished for receiving rebates or special rates less than the lawful published rates; and that it is unnecessary to provide additional legislation in this respect to curb trusts, monopolies, and combinations. This, however, is an erroneous statement.

"Whatever the congress may have designed in the act to regulate commerce regarding the punishment of shippers for participation in violation of that act, as construed by the courts, their punishable offenses fall under two heads:

"First, where the shipper has solicited or participated in instances of unjust discrimination; and,

"Second, in cases of fraud perpetrated by him against the carrier, ex. gr., by false representation of the contents of a package.

"As to the first, the courts have held that to constitute unjust discrimination it is necessary to prove that at the time the lower unlawful rate was being granted to the favored shipper, the higher lawful rate was imposed against another shipper on like commodities between the same points.

"In many cases of departure by a carrier from its published tariffs, the favored shipper has enjoyed his advantage for so long a time that all rivals have disappeared. In such cases, and they are the most numerous, no illegal discrimination exists; consequently the recipient of the unlawful rebates escapes the penalties of the act to regulate commerce.

Incorporated Carriers Escape.

"The act prohibits the carrier from charging anyone a greater or less rate than the rates named in its schedules; but the penalties provided therefor have been held by the courts not to be applicable to any carrier that is an incorporated company.

"The officers or agents of such incorporated company who grant the rebate or make the unlawful concession in rates are subject to indictment and punishment. That, however, is generally an impracticable remedy, because the agent who makes the concession is usually the only person by whom it can be ascertained that the rebate has been paid; and when he has testified in relation to the matter he has thereby obtained amnesty from prosecution.

"Even after the corporation and its officers could be effectively reached by criminal proceedings, the law leaves unrestrained the persons, corporations, and combinations who are beneficiaries oof the unlawful rebates.

"This casus omissus of the act to regulate commerce should be supplied by imposing a penalty upon the incorporated carrier and beneficiary alike, and the right of the courts to restrain such practices at the suit of the United States—a right not settled and now vigorously challenged—should be made certain.

"I think the operation of such an act should be limited to the transportation by common carriers subject to the act to regulate commerce. This is necessary for the reason that there is no requirement of law that rates shall be published by common carriers except by railroad or railroad and water carriers acting as one line. When the act to regulate commerce was under consideration it was deemed impracticable if not unwise to attempt to regulate the rates of water or other common carriers. It was understood that in the nature of things water rates could not be stable.

"In addition to that it was believed that water competition must be unrestricted. As it is the least expensive means of transportation, it, wherever it could directly or indirectly compete with carriers by rail, would approximately furnish a basis for rates within the limits of extortion.

"So that if provision is made by law to prevent rebates, a standard or established schedule must be referred to; and as the admitted abuse of magnitude has been in the favors granted by railroad companies, their rates, which the law requires shall be made public, should be taken as the rates which must be adhered to and made equal to all the people under similar conditions.

Ways to Enforce Laws.

"It should, therefore, be made unlawful to transport traffic by carriers subject to the act to regulate commerce at any rate less than such carriers' published rate, and all who participate in the violation of such law should be punished.

"An additional provision should be made to reach corporations, combinations, and associations which produce and manufacture wholly within a state, but whose products or sales enter into interstate commerce. It should relate, first, to such concerns as fatten on rebates in transportation, and, second, to concerns which sell below the general price of commodity in particular localities, or otherwise in particular localities wantonly seek to destroy competition. These could be excluded with their commodities, products, or manufactures from crossing state lines.

"As the power of congress over interstate commerce is plenary, excepting as it may be limited by the constitution, it is believed that it may impose such a punishment for the violation of the public policy of the nation.

"A comprehensive plan should be framed to enable the government to get at all of the facts bearing upon the organization and practices of concerns engaged in interstate and foreign commerce essential to a full understanding thereof, and to compel the observance of the law. This should be framed upon tested lines.

Commission Should Be Created.

"A commission should be created to aid in carrying out the provisions of the act of July 2, 1890, and any further legislation relating to commerce. It should be the duty of such commission, among other things, to make diligent investigation into the operations and conduct of all corporations, combinations, and concerns engaged in interstate or foreign commerce, and to gather such information or data as would enable it to make specific recommendations for additional legislation for the regulation of commerce, and annually, and oftener if it shall seem needful, to make report thereon to the president.

"Such a commisison should have authority to inquire into the management of the business of such corporations and concerns, to keep itself informed as to the manner and method in which the same is conducted, and to obtain from such concerns full and complete information necessary to enable the commisison to perform the duties and carry out the objects for which it is created; it should have the power, when in its judgment it is necessary, to require reports from them, and require from them and their officers, agents, and employés specific answers to all questions upon which the commision needs information. As there are no means now provided by law for compelling testimony, such a law should provide that no person should be excused from attending and testifying or from producing books, papers, contracts, and documents before such commision or the courts.

Urges Great Care Be Exercised.

"Of course, the general scheme of legislation to correct trust abuses should be developed with great care, for it is not nearly so important to act quickly as to act wisely. Primarily the question of the power of congress to reach what the Sherman act seems to have missed should be authoritatively determined, as upon that proposition the whole structure of effective regulative legislation must rest. We should at once take the first steps by law aimed at what we certainly know to be unreasonable practices directly restrictive of freedom of commerce upon which the fundamental question can be raised, and by a law conferring upon the government a general supervisory power as above outlined.

"Another step in legislation which I earnestly recommend and which will, if enacted, greatly hasten a solution of the problem, is, that an act be passed as soon as possible to speed the final decision of cases now pending and others that may be raised under the anti-trust law. I refer to an act to enable the attorney general to secure the original hearing by a full bench of the Circuit court judges in the circuit wherein is pending any suit brought by the United States under the anti-trust law, which the attorney general certifies to the court to involve questions of great public importance, and giving an appeal from their decision directly to the Supreme court of the United States in such cases, and also giving an appeal directly to the Supreme court in all pending cases in which the United States is a party which have been heard and are as yet unappealed.

"There are a number of cases now provided by statute where appeals may be made directly to the Supreme court from the District and Circuit courts—namely: in cases in which the jurisdiction of the court is in issue, from final sentences and decrees in prize cases, in cases of conviction of a capital or otherwise infamous crime, in cases that involve the construction or application of the constitution of the United States, in cases in which the constitutionality of any law of the United States, or the validity or construction of any treaty is drawn in question, and in cases in which the constitution or law of a state is claimed to be in contravention of the constitution of the United States.

Would Be Long Stride Forward.

"The class of cases that I suggest should be brought within this rule, it seems to me, is of as great importance as any of those referred to. The suggested provision requiring a full bench of the Circuit judges would insure the cases receiving as full consideration before presentation to the Supreme court as if heard by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

"It is too much to say that with these gaps closed the scheme of governmental regulation will be complete, but it is clear that without some similar legislation it would continue to be inadequate. And such legislation will make a long first stride in advance. P. C. KNOX, Attorney General."

Hoar Talks of Trusts.

Senator Hoar's speech was devoted entirely to the question of trusts and partly to an explanation of his recently introduced anti-trust bill. He began with the assumption that all thoughtful men are agreed as to the necessity of legislation for the control of trusts. He said that as yet there had been only apprehension and alarm, but no serious injury, except in the case of the recent coal strike, on account of trusts. He took up the discussion of the effect of the control of vast wealth by individuals, saying that in such a system there was much to threaten republican liberty.

"Is there anything to render it unlikely," he asked, "that if one of these vast fortunes has grown from a hundred thousand to a hundred million or a thousand million in thirty years that in the hands of the next possessor, in another thirty or fifty years, the hundred million may become a hundred thousand million, or the thousand million a thousand thousand million? Cannot the same power and business ability and capital that can control all the petroleum in the country control all the coal? Can it not control the railroad and the ocean carrying trade? Can it not buy up and hold in one man's grasp the agricultural and grazing lands of new and great states and the coal mines, and silver mines, and copper mines?"

Danger in Corporate Wealth.

But, great as were the possibilities of the accumulation of great wealth by individuals, he did not find in such accumulation the same peril that is found in corporate control of such wealth.

Points Out Trust Evils.

Mr. Hoar pointed out what he conceived to be the chief evils of trusts as follows:

1. Destruction of competition.
2. The management of local industries by absentees in the interest of absentee capital.
3. Destruction of local public spirit.
4. Fraudulent capitalization.
5. Secrecy.
6. Management for the private benefit of the officials.
7. The power to corrupt elections, and, in some cases, to corrupt the courts.
8. The want of personal responsibility to public sentiment.
9. The absence of personal liability for contracts or wrong doing.
10. The holding of vast properties in mortmain.

Mr. Hoar said he did not agree with those who think they find an adequate remedy for the evils of the trusts in the removal of the tariff from all the trust made articles. He announced his opposition to government ownership of great labor employing industries, including coal mines and railroads. Socialism, he said, furnishes no remedy, but would be quite as bad as the trusts themselves.

Outlines Restrictions on Trusts.

Mr. Hoar presented the following outline of the restrictions imposed by his bill on corporations:

First, publicity in the conduct of their business and the constitution of their organization.

Second, the power to stop their business altogether if they violate the laws enacted by congress.

Third, strict penalties on them and their officers for such violations.

Fourth, personal liability for all debts, obligations, and wrongdoings of the directors, officers, and agents, unless the laws be fully complied with. This liability is secured by requiring the personal consent to the provisions of this bill and acceptance of all its obligations by such officers, directors, and agents before they enter upon office.

Effect of the Bill.

As to the effect of the measure in case it should become a law he said:

"If this bill shall become a law and prove effective no corporation engaging in the commerce which is within the jurisdiction of congress can keep its condition a secret. No such corporation can do business on fictitious capital or watered stock. No corporation can oppress any rival, whether corporate or individual, by any unlawful practice. If it does it will be on the condition that every one of its managers becomes personally liable for its debts and its torts, and will be liable also to heavy criminal liability. This bill depends for its validity on the constitutional power of congress to regulate international and interstate commerce."

HELPS DUSE TO BUILD ITALIAN THEATER.

Miss Anne T. Morgan

Miss Anne T. Morgan, daughter of J. Pierpont Morgan, has undertaken to raise a fund of $150,000 with which to provide a theater in Italy for the use of Mme. Eleonora Duse, the actress. While Mme. Duse was attending a reception Miss Morgan heard her speak of her long cherished plan to erect a temple of art to be devoted to the production of classic and modern drama. The young New York woman at once raised $21,000 among her friends and pledged her support to the project until the theater is built. Only the women friends of Miss Morgan are to be asked to subscribe to the undertaking.

BIDS FOR CRUISERS OPENED.

Navy Department Receives Propositions for the Construction of Two Fast Armored Vessels.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Two first class armored cruisers, bids for which were opened at the navy department today, were authorized by act of congress approved July 1, 1902, the cost of each not to exceed $4,650,000. Forty-two months is allowed for their construction, and a minimum speed trial of 21½ knots is required.

Each cruiser will measure on load water line 502 feet in length and 72 feet 10½ inches at extreme breadth. They will have each a trial displacement of not more than 14,500 tons, a total coal bunker capacity of about 2,000 tons, and a mean draft at trial displacement of 25 feet.

The hull of each cruiser is to be of steel throughout. The armament of each will consist of a main battery of four 10-inch and sixteen 6-inch breechloading rifles, twenty-two 3-inch rapid fire guns, and a secondary battery of twelve 3-pounder, semi-automatic, rapid fire guns, two 1-pounder automatic guns, two 1-pounder rapid fire guns, two .30-caliber Gatling guns, six .30-caliber Colt automatic guns, and two 3-inch field guns. The contracts will not be awarded for some time.

COYNE ASKS FOR MORE HELP.

Postmaster Now in Washington Urging Many Changes to Improve Service in Chicago.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Postmaster Coyne arrived here today and conferred with the postoffice officials with regard to increased facilities for the Chicago postoffice. He will recommend a large increase in the allowance for carriers and postal clerks to augment the force to meet the growing demands of the business.

BOSTONIANS CANNOT SAIL:

Opera Company Enjoined from Leaving for Tour of Australia Until Engagements Are Filled.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 6.—An injunction was served on the Bostonian opera company by Manager John Cort of the Northwestern Theatrical association to prevent that organization sailing from Vancouver on the steamer Miowera on Jan. 9 for Australia.

Arrangements had been made by the Bostonians for a two years' tour of Australia and of her southern countries, as well as a season in London. Mr. Cort opposed this plan, as the Bostonians were booked in a majority of the twenty-six theaters under the management of his association.

Mr. Cort therefore made application for a writ from the Excise court at Vancouver to hold the company's scenery and costumes under bond until the engagements in Tacoma, Spokane, Missoula, Anaconda, Butte, Victoria, Vancouver, Helena, and Great Falls had been played. Judge Slocum granted the order.

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THEY FILE SCALE ASKING $750,000 A YEAR MORE.

Part of the General Movement of Teamsters for Higher Wages This Year—Charges of Bribery Made by President Young Discussed, but No Progress Toward an Investigation —Lincoln Park Men Return to Work Pending Arbitration.

The van teamsters of the city, who number 3,000 men, have prepared their wage schedule for the ensuing year, and if it is accepted by their employers they will receive an aggregate increase in pay of $750,000 annually. The schedule will be filed within a few days at the offices of the Van Team Owners' association and conferences regarding it will follow.

The demands of the van men are a part of a general movement of the teamsters for better pay and shorter hours. Two weeks ago the truck drivers opened the campaign by asking for an increase amounting to $800,000 annually and received it. Other locals will follow the van men, and when all have been satisfied, President Albert Young asserts that the teamsters will be getting between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 a year more than hitherto.

Two Busy Seasons Recognized.

The van men have a wage schedule now that recognizes two busy seasons. They get $2 a day for routine work, but during the six weeks beginning April 1 and the three months following Sept. 1, they receive an extra 25 cents a day. The pay of their helpers is on the same basis and uniformly 25 cents a day lower. This they want changed to a flat rate of $2.50 a day for the van men and $2.25 for the helpers, with 35 cents an hour for all work over ten hours.

"There are times in the year when work is light," said Business Agent F. C. Bender yesterday. "In such periods our men work at coal and dirt teaming. On coal wagons they receive the coal scale, which is lower than the van schedule, and when they haul dirt they get dirt teamsters' wages, which are lower. This we want changed and demand that when our men do other teaming they be paid wages that are not lower than those in the van line."

Discussing the Bribery Charge.

Little else save the charges of bribery made by President Albert Young of the Teamsters' National union were discussed in labor circles during the day. The committee of investigation was not appointed because Young is suspicious of any appointment save when made in a general meeting of the federation, and will not allow President Lighthall to proceed.

"Young is making a grand stand play," said Madden, "for he is anxious to get prestige."

Madden's friends assert that Young is playing politics, hoping to oust the present leaders in the labor movement, most of whom are democrats.

Park Teamsters Back at Work.

The twenty teamsters employed at Lincoln park who have been on a strike because John Meyers, one of their number, was discharged, went back to work yesterday pending an investigation of the trouble by the Chicago board of arbitration. The board will meet in a few days to hear the case, and its decision on the right of Supt. R. H. Warder to discharge Meyers because of alleged incompetency will be final.

PRISON TERM FOR AN ELOPER.

Man Who Twice Ran Away with a 13 Year Old Girl Is Sent to Indiana Penitentiary.

Hammond, Ind., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—William O'Rourke was sentenced to twenty-one years in the penitentiary today for criminal assault. He is a married man, and eloped to Terre Haute last April with 13 year old Lucy Ray. Both were brought back to Hammond, and the grand jury indicted O'Rourke. He was released on bail, but jumped his bond and eloped a second time with the girl. They were rearrested last October at South Chicago, when the man tried to cut his throat with a razor.

ATTORNEY GENERAL ASKS HELP

Addition of Two Officers to His Department's Force Is Urged Before the House.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Representative Jenkins, chairman of the house judiciary committee, introduced a bill today providing for the appointment by the president of two additional officers in the department of justice, one to be called the assistant to the attorney general, at a salary of $7,000 a year, the other to be called assistant attorney general at $5,000 a year.

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Attorney General, in Giving Administration View, Aids Legislation.

AMENDING MAY SUFFICE.

Proposal to Punish Both Parties to Any Discrimination Meets Much Opposition.

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there is great doubt. The republican leaders at both ends of the capitol long ago made up their minds that they would not touch either the tariff or the trusts, at least at this session of congress.

The program is well understood. Aside from the appropriation bills and half a dozen other measures which were really agreed upon last winter there is to be no general legislation at all. The two judiciary committees are as far apart as the poles over the trust question, and the suggestions of the attorney general do not coincide with the views previously expressed at either end of the capitol.

For this reason interest in the trust question is dying out to some extent in congress, and every one realizes the impossibility of action until next winter.

The suggestion that the president might call an extra session to take up trust legislation is not considered seriously just now, although many of the most conservative republicans in congress, including quite a percentage of those from the Mississippi valley, believe that if the republican party goes into the next presidential election without having done anything to redeem the pledges made at Philadelphia the chances of success will not be any too bright.

The president is honestly in favor of some reasonable trust legislation, and he will continue to be as long as he remains in the White house. He is not heartily supported in this regard, however, by the men who control legislation at the capitol, and unless there is a strong expression of public sentiment it will be difficult to secure what he wants, even at the long session which will begin next winter, when time is not so pressing as it is now.

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Postmaster General Payne has received a touching letter from Felix Hugg of Richmond, Ill., who for forty years has carried the mail between the railroad and the postoffice in that town, rain or shine, without missing a single trip. Hugg was 80 years old today and has been obliged to resign on account of the infirmities of his age. In the letter he sent in with his resignation he says:

"My position in the postal service has not been a high one, but such as it is I have tried to fill it conscientiously and well. When I took the place forty years ago I used to think that some day I would fill a more important position in the service. Those hopes faded long ago, but I have continued to carry my sack of mail back and forth, back and forth, day in and day out, and to fill my humble position as faithfully as though I was of some importance in the world. I hope you have been satisfied with me."

The postmaster general has written Hugg an autograph letter wishing him many happy years and congratulating him upon his faithful service.

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Some time ago Representative Mann introduced a resolution declaring the tunnels under the Chicago river to be obstructions to navigation. The secretary of war was called upon to say whether or not the general government would incur any pecuniary obligations if the resolution should be adopted. Its adoption would mean that the secretary of war would have power to order the removal of the tunnels.

Recently Secretary Root replied to Representative Mann's communication, but he did not touch upon the point as to whether the general government would be responsible for any damages incurred in removing the tunnels or for the cost of their removal.

It is the general belief that the city of Chicago must defray this expense, but before the resolution is adopted Representative Mann desires to know whether Chicago or the general government will have to pay the costs. He has, therefore, again called upon Secretary Root to have the judge advocate general, the law officer of the war department, pass upon this question.

Until the tunnels are removed congress will not appropriate any more money for the improvement of the Chicago river, and it is important, therefore, that the obstructions be removed. It is believed the general government or the railroad company which constructed the tunnel near Van Buren street will be called upon to pay for the removal of that structure, as the city had nothing whatever to do with building it.

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Director of the Census and Mrs. Merriam entertained at dinner tonight Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Sanger, Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop Bradley, Mrs. Audenreid, Rear Admiral Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. Cropper, Miss Cook, and Capt. Biddle.

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By a vote of 153 to 52 the house this afternoon adopted the general staff corps bill providing for increasing the efficiency of the army.

The general staff corps will be composed of officers detailed from the army at large. The duties of the staff corps will be to prepare plans for the national defense and for the mobilization of the forces in time of war; to investigate and report upon all questions affecting the efficiency of the army and its state of preparation for military operations, and to render professional aid and assistance to the secretary war, to general officers, and other superior commanders, and to act as their agents in informing and coördinating the action of all the different officers engaged in carrying out their orders.

The general staff corps will consist of one chief of staff, two general officers detailed by the president from officers of the army at large, but not below the grade of brigadier general, four colonels, six lieutenant colonels, twelve majors, and twenty captains.

Officers will be detailed to the staff corps for a period of four years, and upon being relieved will return to the branch of the army in which they hold permanent commissions.

The chief of staff, under the direction of the president, will have supervision of all troops of the line and of the adjutant general, inspectors general, judge advocates general, quartermasters, subsistence, medical, pay, and ordnance departments, the corps of engineers, and the signal corps. Inasmuch as this proposition meets with such general favor it will be adopted by the senate, in all probability at this session.

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Senator and Mrs. Fairbanks entertained at dinner tonight Senator and Mrs. Burrows, Senator and Miss Cockrell, Senator and Mrs. Foster, Senator and Mrs. McCumber, Senator Dillingham, Representative and Mrs. Metcalf, Gen. and Mrs. Sternberg, and Miss Fairbanks.

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T. W. Tomlinson, president of the Chicago Live Stock association, is in Washington. He will appear before the interstate commerce committee of the house and advocate the adoption of the bill which will permit cattle to remain in cars while in transit for a period of forty hours. Under the present laws cattle can remain in the cars for twenty-four hours, and after that period must be unloaded, fed, watered, and rested. It is claimed that owing to the excitement caused by unloading, in view of the fact that considerable rough handling is necessary, the cattle would be in better shape if permitted to remain in the cars a few hours longer until they reach their destination.

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Senator and Mrs. Depew entertained at dinner at Corcoran house tonight, in compliment to their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas Sloane, who arrived here from New York to remain until after the diplomatic reception at the White house on Thursday. The other guests at dinner were: Senator and Mrs. Wetmore, Representative and Mrs. George B. McClellan, Representative and Mrs. Olmsted, Capt. and Mrs. Cowles, Miss Paulding, Miss Patten, Mr. Adams, and Mr. Gillett. Dinner parties will be entertained at Corcoran house, Senator Depew's residence, Wednesday and Thursday nights.

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Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, celebrated his national Christmas festival tonight—the Russian Christmas eve—by entertaining at dinner all of his countrymen in the city. The dinner was followed by a visit to the embassy ballroom, where twin Christmas trees, merging into one, filled the room with brilliancy. Countess Cassini did all the decorating herself and had upon the tree a gift for every guest.

One of the ambassador's gifts to his niece, Countess Cassini, was a new solid silver tea service, while tobacco bowls, cigaret holders, punch bowls, and dozens of other gifts were presented to him by the countess and friends. As a number of guests were announced at the last moment for whom gifts were not provided, Countess Cassini rushed to the ambassador's study and relieved it of a number of small trinkets for her guests, asserting that she would rather be a robber than an inhospitable host.

At the ambassador's dinner were all of the attachés of the embassy, Mme. De Meissner, Mlle. De Smirnoff, Miss Hoy, the fiancée of Mr. Rogestvensky, second secretary of the embassy, and a large party of Russians.

MANN BILL ON NEW SECRETARY

Substitute for Senate Measure on Department of Commerce and Labor Is Proposed.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Representative Mann of Illinois today reported for the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce a substitute for the senate bill to establish a new department of commerce and labor. The report says one object of the new department is to consolidate as far as possible all of the statistical bureaus of the government in one department and to place in the department all of the scientific bureaus engaged in work relating to commerce, manufactures, and labor.

Relative to the proposed bureau of corporations the report says:

"The creation of this bureau will make it the duty of an officer of the government to deal with the matter of corporation information and to acquire knowledge and report recommendations concerning the manner and extent to which corporation transactions in interstate commerce shall be subjected to the influence of national legislation. Your committee believes that this is a practical step toward the legitimate control of corporations engaged in commerce among the states."

A minority report signed by Representatives Richardson of Alabama and Davis of Florida was filed in opposition to the transfer of the department of labor to the department of commerce as tending to subordinate and take from the former's dignity.

The bill provides that the department of labor be placed under the jurisdiction and made a part of the department of commerce, but does not interfere with existing provisions of law affecting the appointment of the commissioner of labor or the duties imposed upon his office by law.

Nominated by the President.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—The president today sent the following nominations to the senate: Raymond R. Frazier, Wisconsin, consul at Copenhagen; artillery corps, Lieut. Col. William P. Vose to be colonel; Capt. Louis B. Lawton, Twenty-sixth infantry, to be judge advocate, with rank of major.

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NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, Jan. 6.

Minister Tells of Indecency of Crowded Cars.

The Rev. John H. Elliott of the Collegiate church talked to the members of the Women's Health Protective association this afternoon about the evils of crowded cars. He suggested two remedies—a law to prevent the companies from collecting fare from any passenger who did not have a seat, and special cars for males who take advantage of crowded cars "to pander to their own immorality and to degrade young women."

The only evil in car crowding that the clergyman thought worth while talking about to the women was what he considers the indecency of it. He said:

"I want you to work and agitate till every true hearted woman in this city realizes what her sisters are subjected to in these crowded cars. If you can do that we will have the desired reform within three months. There is five times as much deference shown to women by the men of Chicago as by New York men. We take it for granted here that the men will sit and the women stand. Personally I'd much rather walk than see what I have to see if I boarded a car.

"The immodesty and the immorality that I see in a car is frightful. I am not overprudish. I have a good physique and I enjoy a good dinner and a good time; but I must say that my cheeks burn and my heart is full when I see what our girls and young business women are subjected to on their way home in the crowded cars by creatures called men. It might be well to have special cars for such men.

"I've spoken plainly and you all know what I mean."

Little gasps and sighs of approval showed that the women understood. Only fourteen were there.

Steel Corporation Earns $132,000,000.

The directors of the United States Steel corporation today declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1 per cent on the common and 1¾ per cent on the preferred stocks. A financial statement was issued showing net earnings for the calendar year, with December estimated, of $132,662,000. The net earnings for the quarter ended Dec. 31 were $31,339,613, an increase of $1,579,700 as compared with the same period of 1901.

From the net earnings for the year deductions are made of $24,528,183 for sinking funds, depreciation, and reserve funds and for a special fund set aside for depreciation and improvements; of $15,200,000 for interest on bonds; of $3,040,000 on sinking funds for bonds; and of $56,052,869 for interest on the stocks. These deductions have undivided profits amounting to $33,841,565 for the year, applicable to increase, depreciation, and reserve fund accounts, for new construction of surplus. The cash on hand is $54,724,106.

It was reported to the board that the plan for stock subscription was being well received by the employés, and that within three days after opportunity to subscribe was given upwards of 16,000 shares had been subscribed for.

J. Pierpont Morgan was present, although it is not his custom to attend meetings of corporations when they are not held in his office.

Court of Appeals Turns Down Devery.

The Court of Appeals of Albany decided today against W. S. Devery in his fight for reinstatement as chief of police of New York City. While Judges Cullen and O'Brien and Chief Judge Parker deem unconstitutional that provision of the law which disqualifies a police commissioner removed from office from reappointment thereto, the other judges who sat in the case do not pass upon that question. They say that even if that part of the law is unconstitutional it does not interfere with the general working scheme of the law.

Devery's salary as chief of police was $6,000, and as deputy police commissioner $4,000, but he persistently refused to accept the salary of the latter office on the ground that he had been illegally removed as chief of police.

The effect of the Court of Appeals' decision is to declare constitutional all of the New York City single headed police commission law, under which Gen. Greene is serving as commissioner, except that provision giving the governor power to remove the police commissioner. Upon this question the court says it is unnecessary to pass at this time.

Girl Dies of Poison; Father Kills Himself.

John Honeymeter, a pressman in the employ of Tyrrell & Co. at 129 Fulton street, left his daughter Jennie, a handsome girl of 18, in a dying condition as the result of poison in the squalid room they occupied together in the flat at 228 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street this morning, and then going to the place where he was employed, put a bullet through his brain. The girl died a short time after her father left her, and Honeymeter lingered for only an hour or so after he was found, and did not recover consciousness. The case is puzzling, but there is little for the police to do, as it is certain that father and daughter were the only parties to the tragedy.

Will Purchase All Shares of Tobacco Concern.

The Consolidated Tobacco company has concluded the purchase of all the outstanding shares of the American Tobacco company at a price which is variously reported at from $325 to $500 a share. The last sale of the stock on the "curb" was at $320. This purchase settles the suits brought by H. Content & Co. and Camille Wiedenfeld against the Consolidated Tobacco company some time ago, which attempted to show that the purchase of the American Tobacco company had been fraudulently effected. Bourke Cockran was also interested in this litigation.

A woman who gave the name of "Ada Smith" and said she was the "Nellie Bly of the west" went barefoot along One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street this morning carrying her shoes, and at Third avenue kneeled down on the car tracks. Police Sergeant Burfiend pulled her out of the way of a car. She said she had been a newspaper woman in Chicago known as Daisy Bell. She seemed to be a little out of her head.

Girl Found Whose Language Is Unknown.

A girl about 17 years old was found wandering about the streets of Hoboken last night and taken to police headquarters by Roundsman Hammond. No one at the station could hold conversation with the girl, and a steamship agent who speaks seven languages was sent for. He could not make himself understood and went after a friend who speaks eleven languages. The friend said he had not the slightest hint of the language the girl spoke. Hammond started to speak Irish to her, but although she was loquacious the dialogue resulted no better. The police sent messages to a dozen or more foreign boarding houses for interpreters. Fifteen of these emergency linguists interviewed the girl without being able to understand a single word she uttered. She was finally turned over to the care of the police matron, who conversed with her in signs.

Falls Seven Stories, Sits Up, and Lights Pipe.

On the seventh floor of the skyscraper hotel building which is being erected on Clinton street, between Fulton and Pierrepont, Brooklyn, late this afternoon a group of bricklayers were at work on the outer wall of the structure. One of them was Luther Kerlin, who paused suddenly in his work and began pulling vigorously at his pipe.

Kerlin borrowed a match, scratched it on a brick, and lighted his pipe.

"Thank—"

He did not finish, for in shifting his position he slipped and fell. Three stories down he crashed through the skylight of another building and kept on till he landed on the top of an elevator cage. When the occupants looked up and saw Kerlin on top of the car they were astonished. He was sitting up rubbing his head and with his pipe still tightly clutched in his teeth. While they were at work getting him out three of his fellow bricklayers rushed in to gather up his remains.

"Say, Mike," he said, "give me another match; my pipe is out again."

Gen. Frederick D. Grant, as executor under the will of his mother, Julia Dent Grant, has taken proceedings in the surrogate's court of this county to have it adjudged that no property passing by virtue of the will of his mother is subject to the payment of the collateral inheritance tax.

Great Office Building on Madison Square.

The sale of the Madison Square Presbyterian church to the Metropolitan Life Insurance company will result in the construction of one of the largest office buildings in the city, if not in the world. The building will occupy the entire block, which is 425x200 feet—the size of the block on which Madison Square garden stands—and will be eleven stories high. There are to be a basement and a subbasement besides. Thirty-three elevators will serve the tenants. An arcade will pass through the building and connect with the rapid transit subway.

Whistler Painting Canfield's Portrait.

Richard A. Canfield is in London. This was announced today by Lawyer Delehanty, who said that Mr. Canfield sailed ten days ago. Mr. Delehanty said: "He intended to sail this year the first week in December, but owing to the visit one evening of some genial highwaymen to his house in Forty-fourth street, it became necessary for him to delay the date of his departure. Incidentally, I may say that Mr. Canfield's particular business in London was to fulfill an engagement with Whistler, to whom he had been sitting during two previous visits to London for his portrait."

Fail to Get Injunction Against Book Companies.

The application of Isidor and Nathan Straus of the firm of R. H. Macy & Co. for an injunction pendente lite to restrain the American Publishers' association and the American Booksellers' association from acting under certain agreements entered into by both the defendant corporations for the alleged purpose of keeping up the retail prices of books and preventing competition in their sale was denied today by Justice Leventritt in the Supreme court.

Fire in I. T. Burden's Residence.

A fire caused by the overturning of an alcohol lamp burned the third floor of I. Townsend Burden's residence at 5 East Twenty-sixth street this morning and burned Mr. Burden's eldest daughter, Miss Evelyn, painfully but not seriously about the feet and ankles. The fire spread so quickly that several servants were caught on the top floor of the house and had to be taken down on ladders by firemen. The total damage was estimated at about $25,000.

ROOM IN WHICH FIRE VICTIMS SLEPT AND GIRL WHO JUMPED TO DEATH

[From a photograph taken for THE TRIBUNE.]

INTERIOR OF THE PERRYS' ROOM.

The Hotel Somerset fire, in which four lives were lost early yesterday morning, did little damage except in the room where the fire started and the adjoining room, where Mrs. Perry and her three daughters were sleeping. While the management had not complied with the building laws, it was said by Acting Inspector Barry that yesterday's fire could not be charged directly to the disregard for the orders of the department.

CLAIMS THE KINGDOM OF YAP.

Widow of David O'Keefe, the Late Ruler of Island, Secures Letters of Administration.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—First steps were taken today toward establishing the claims of the O'Keefes in Savannah to the kingdom of Yap in the Pacific ocean. Catherine O'Keefe applied to the Court of Ordinary for temporary and permanent letters of administration on the estate of David O'Keefe and temporary letters were granted.

The applicant is the widow of O'Keefe, who was known in life as King O'Keefe of Yap. He went to the South Sea islands many years ago and made a fortune.

King O'Keefe regularly sent handsome sums of money to his wife in Savannah, but never evinced a desire to return to this city.

An application will be made in Hongkong for letters of administration on the estate and a lawyer will be sent from Savannah with one of the members of the family to look after the estate in the south Pacific.

BIG ORE RANGE IS DISCOVERED.

Immense Deposits of Mineral Located Near Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and John W. Gates Is Interested.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—An immense ore range has been discovered, with 180,000,000 tons of ore in sight, and among the persons interested are John W. Gates, J. J. Mitchell, John Lambert, Charles G. Gates, and Blair & Co. of New York.

UNIONISM AS MAN'S DUTY.

DR. LYMAN ABBOTT SAYS HE WOULD "CARRY A CARD."

His Views on Labor Organization in Marked Contrast with the Expressions of Newell Dwight Hillis, His Successor as Pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn—Would Have the Government Control the Price of Coal and Regulate Corporations.

"It is the duty of every laboring man to join his trade's union," said Dr. Lyman Abbott in an address in Chicago commons last night on "The Duties of Man."

For years Dr. Abbott occupied the pulpit of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, from which his successor, Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, has so bitterly denounced trade unionism.

A man's first duty, Dr. Abbott urged, is to put into the world by his productive power as much as he takes out of it; his second duty is to his home instead of to his shop; his third duty is to his neighbor, whose rights he must aid in preserving.

"His neighbor's interests must become his interests," he declared, "for injury to one means injury to the other."

Would "Carry a Card."

For this reason Dr. Abbott said it was every man's duty to join a labor union.

"Every man owes a duty to the man working at his side at the bench," he asserted. "If I were a laboring man I would not be without a union card. The more independent a man is the more able he is to do for himself, the more imperatively it is his duty to join a labor union and help those who are less able to help themselves. It must not be a battle of capital against labor or of classes against classes, but a combination of all forces for the accomplishment of mutual good."

Dr. Abbott urged that hard times are never the outgrowth of overproduction, but invariably result from lack of demand.

"What we have to work for is not a greater wealth in this country," he said, "but a greater diffusion of wealth. Our common duty to the community is to work for a wider distribution of wealth—not for the sake of the community, but for the sake of humanity."

Pictures Ideal Government.

The speaker declared himself unequivocally in favor of national control of all combinations which affect the prices of necessities and for the public ownership of public utilities.

"We must have a government strong enough to control all organization in the country, both of labor and capital," he said. "We must have a government strong enough to control all of the giant corporations, the railroads and the highways, the public utilities. Whenever the organization is not controlled by the state it becomes superior to the state. We must have a government strong enough to establish the price of coal when the contingency for such action arrives—a government that shall administer in the interests of all the people, for the benefit of all the people. Our government must stand at the door of the nation more eager to get good citizens by emigration than good laborers by emigration.

"Lastly, we must have a government strong enough to prevent child labor, which is the great shame of America today; strong enough to regulate the work of women and to regulate the wages and hours of all labor."

WILL CUTS OFF DISS DE BAR.

Testament of William J. McGown of Chicago, Who Was Her Husband, Is Filed.

Memories of Ann Odelia Diss De Bar were revived yesterday by the filing of the will of William J. McGown, who, it appears, was the husband of the woman. The will is dated Jan. 18, 1897. McGown died in the rear of a deserted saloon at Sixtieth and Page streets on Jan. 24, 1897.

The will bequeaths one-half of testator's real estate to his brother, C. M. McGown, and a life interest of one-half of the remainder to Mrs. Mary Thompson, who, in the capacity of a Spiritualist nurse, cared for McGown in his last illness. C. M. McGown is supposed to have the estate in his possession, and its value is unknown. Ebenezer Wakely, 6340 Marshfield avenue, is executor.

W. J. McGown came to Chicago in 1890. He was a well dressed, good looking man of 57 and owned considerable property. How he met the De Bar woman is not known.

The will has been long in the possession of Wakely. Mrs. Thompson applied to the Probate court for a citation, requiring him to file it.

Diss De Bar is supposed to be in prison in London.

WILL PUT MILWAUKEE ON MAP.

Railway That Omitted Wisconsin Town Apologizes and Promises It Place on Earth.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Merchants here today were indignant over a map of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway which did not show the line to Milwaukee. The Citizens' Business league held a meeting this afternoon and protested against Milwaukee being left off the map. A letter was sent to the company asking that no more maps be published omitting the name of Milwaukee. W. H. Dodsworth, the local general agent, and W. J. Boyle, city passenger agent of the road, appeared at the meeting and said a horrible mistake had been made and the road did not intend to drop Milwaukee off its map. They promised that no more of the maps should be published.

ETHEL SAUNDERS.

NEW TEST IN LABOR CASE

ACCEPTED JURORS MUST BELIEVE IN BILL OF RIGHTS.

Trial of Brass Molders Accused of Conspiring to Injure Nonunion Men Begins in Judge Brentano's Court—Assistant State's Attorney Olson Puts Unusual Questions to Veniremen—One Defendant Turns State's Evidence.

Prospective jurors must swear to their belief in certain principles of human rights before they can qualify for service in the trial of the union brass molders accused of conspiring to injure nonunion men, which began yesterday in Judge Brentano's court. Four questions were put to the veniremen by Assistant State's Attorney Olson which have never been used before in the trial of a labor case in Cook county. They form what is said to be the severest test ever imposed upon jurors in a case where labor organizations were concerned. The questions are:

Do you believe that "all men are by nature free and independent, and have certain inherent and inalienable rights—among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness," and that "no person shall be deprived of life, liberty, or property without due process of law?

Do you believe that "labor is property and the laborer has the same right to sell his labor as any other property owner?"

Hove you any prejudices or feeling against the man who takes the place of a striker and works for a company when the men are out on a strike?

Do you believe that in this country every owner of property may work it as he will, by whom he pleases, at such wages and upon such terms as he can make; and that every laborer may work or not as he sees fit, for whom and at such wages as he pleases, and that neither can dictate to the other how he shall use his own, whether of property, time, or skill?

The trial began with four of the eleven defendants fugitives from justice, and one of the remaining seven a witness for the state. Charles R. Smoot, who turned state's evidence, pleaded guilty at the opening of court. The six standing trial are Jacob E. Johnson, William Mangan, Gustave Johnson, Thomas Christy, Gustave Hoppe, and William L. Maloney. The four for whom deputy sheriffs are searching are Andrew Anderson, one Leslie, one Smith, and Harry Forbes. Forbes and Anderson are much wanted by the prosecution, and it is expected the latter will be arrested today.

Revelations of a startling character are looked for when the state's witnesses are put upon the stand. Assistant State's Attorney Olson has a number of witnesses who are ready to reveal the inner workings of the brass molders' union that have not been made public heretofore. They will tell of the "flying squadron," the "wrecking crew," and the "sluggers," terms applied to certain members of the union who were paid to assault and injure nonunion workmen during the strike which took place at the plants of the Western Electric company and the Stromberg-Carlson Telephone Manufacturing company early last year.

GRETTINUA KINGSLEY IN JAIL.

Woman Who Failed to Appear for Hearing on Herman W. Plautz's Charges Is Found.

Miss Grettinua Kingsley, who failed to appear in Justice Underwood's court on Dec. 20 to answer charges preferred against her by Herman W. Plautz, who alleged that she took a scarf pin and some photographs without his knowledge and threatened his life, was arrested last evening and locked up in the County jail.

The arrest was brought about by Attorney Francis E. Croarkin, her bondsman. She called him up by telephone and told him that she would appear in court on Friday when her case is called. Croarkin decided to take no more chances on the $600 bond and sent detectives to the drug store at Division and North Clark streets, where they arrested her.

THREE HORSES DIE IN A FIRE.

Animals Burned and a Carriage Destroyed in the Barn of C. H. Marshall.

Three horses were burned to death and a carriage was destroyed in a fire in a barn in the rear of C. H. Marshall's residence, 4730 Drexel boulevard, shortly after 11 o'clock last night. It is believed that the fire started from an overheated stove. The loss is estimated at $3,500.

Nine valuable dogs, owned by P. L. Byrnes, were burned to death during the afternoon in a barn in the rear of 1342-44 Wabash avenue.

FIRE KILLS FOUR; DUE TO NO COAL.

Family Forced to Move to Steam Heated Hotel Somerset, Where All Perish.

MANY GUESTS IN PANIC.

Cause of Blaze Is Not Clear, Although Building Was Not Within the Law.

The loss of four lives by fire in the Hotel Somerset early yesterday morning is charged indirectly to the coal famine. Had it not been for the high price and scarcity of fuel, Mrs. Margaret Perry and her three children, whose lives were sacrificed, would not have been in the hotel, as they left their home at 2535 Indiana avenue some time ago because they thought it would be cheaper to board than to attempt to heat their own apartments during the winter.

Beside the four fatalities, four persons were injured and a number of others had narrow escapes in the panic, although the fire itself was checked before it did serious damage to the building.

The cause of the blaze is not clear, although W. D. Clemons, a bellboy at the Chicago Athletic association, was arrested, and is held pending the inquest this morning. It was in his room, which was next to the room occupied by the Perrys, that the fire started. It is understood Clemons was smoking cigarets in the room a short time before the fire.

The Dead.

PERRY, MRS. MARGARET, 42 years old, overcome by smoke and burned to death.
PERRY, RITA, 12 years old, burned to death.
PERRY, MARIE, 9 years old, burned to death.
SAUNDERS, MISS ETHEL, daughter of Mrs. Perry; 23 years old; leaped from fifth floor of building and died soon after.

The Injured.

Parker, T. W., ankle fractured by leap from fourth story window to roof of adjoining two story structure; taken to Samaritan hospital.
Rochelle, William, negro, elevator boy, cut by flying glass while saving guests.
Sanchez, Emil, pugilist, cut by flying glass.
Wrightman, C. A., cut by falling glass while assisting women to escape.

Building Not Within the Law.

The building, which is an eight story structure at Wabash avenue and Twelfth street, has been in disrepute with the building department for some time owing to the failure of the manager to inclose the elevator shaft with fireproof casing. Last September Inspector Price served notice on the hotel and at last instituted prosecution in Justice Gibbons' court to compel the alterations. For one reason and another the defense secured a continuance on two different occasions and the case is now set for a hearing tomorrow. M. Bergmeyer, agent for the management, notified the building department yesterday afternoon that the plans had been drawn for the alterations and that the order would be complied with immediately.

Inspector W. H. Barry, who was in charge of the building department in the absence of Inspector O'Shea, says he is satisfied that the negligence of the management had no bearing on yesterday's fire.

Mrs. Perry had been at the hotel about two months. Her husband, who is known as Edward Perry Saunders, is a janitor and coachman, and has resided in the neighborhood nearly twenty-two years. When the coal famine came on he installed his family in the Somerset, although, from the character of his duties, he was there little of the time. On Monday evening he spent a couple of hours with his family, leaving at 10 o'clock to complete some arrangements for a trip his wife had planned to her former home in Toronto. He returned yesterday morning only to be called to the morgue to identify the dead.

Bellboy's Story of Fire.

Mrs. Perry occupied a front room on the fifth floor of the Twelfth street side of the hotel. Immediately behind this room and connected by a door was the apartment occupied by the bellboy, Clemons. According to Clemons' story he went to bed about 3 o'clock, but arose at 4:30. He lighted the gas, is said to have smoked a cigaret, and then he went out to get some medicine at a drug store. When he returned half an hour later he heard Rochelle, the elevator boy, calling fire. Clemons ran to the fifth floor and found his room on fire, the flames then being confined to the partition of Mrs. Perry's apartment.

Seizing a broom, Clemons ran down the hall and knocked on the doors to arouse the inmates, although he did not warn Mrs. Perry. Soon the 130 guests in the hotel were rushing down the stairway, climbing down the fire escapes or besieging the elevator cage, where Rochelle was making repeated trips through the smoke to save the occupants of the top floors.

Clemons ran down to the street just in time to see Miss Saunders jump from the fifth floor. He picked her up and carried her to the office of Dr. Mackey, 1205 Wabash avenue, but she died in the ambulance on the way to the Samaritan hospital.

The firemen arrived in time to confine the blaze to the two rooms on the fifth floor, but when they burst in the door of the front apartment they found the bodies of Mrs. Perry and her two daughters lying close together near the door. They were burned almost beyond recognition.

FOUR DIE FROM ASPHYXIATION.

Escaping Gas Causes Death of H. Finkelstein and Family at 122 Liberty Street.

Escaping gas caused the asphyxiation of four persons during Monday night at 122 Liberty street. Their bodies were discovered yesterday morning by neighbors, who forced their way into the rooms. The victims were:

FINKELSTEIN, H., 60 years old.
FINKELSTEIN, MRS. ETTA, his wife, 50 years old.
FINKELSTEIN, ANNIE, a daughter, 18 years old.
FINKELSTEIN, ALFRED, a grandson, 7 years old.

The Finkelsteins lived on the second floor in the rear of a three story brick dwelling house. When the rooms were entered shortly before noon life was still present in the body of the girl, Annie, but the efforts of physicians to revive her were useless. The gas that caused the death of the four escaped from an open jet in the kitchen.

Finkelstein was considered wealthy by residents of the Ghetto, in which he had lived many years. He owned the property on which he lived and several pieces of land on the west side. Attorney Joseph Epstein, who attended to Finkelstein's legal affairs, declared that he had no reason for desiring to commit suicide. He was a country peddler, but spent most of his time at home. He left a son Louis in Milwaukee, a son Abraham in Indianapolis, and a daughter, Mrs. E. Rice.

NUN'S COOLNESS STOPS PANIC.

Mother Superior of Visitation Academy in Evanston Prevents Girls from Jumping Out of Windows.

The coolness of Mother Superior Stanislaus prevented a panic among a hundred girls when a fire broke out in the chapel of the Visitation academy, on Ridge avenue, Evanston, at 9 o'clock last night. While the candles were being lighted on the altar some Christmas decorations were ignited. The smoke ascended to the third floor, on which the girls live, and many of them started to jump from the windows.

The Mother Superior rushed from the chapel to the floor on which the children were, and found several of them in the act of jumping. She got them away from the windows and then stood at the head of the stairway to prevent a rush down it.

The building is a fireproof structure and there was no danger, but many of the girls were hysterical with fright. The fire destroyed the altar and other furnishings in the chapel.

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REPUBLICAN ALDERMEN HAVE TRACTION LAW PLAN.

Think Act Enabling Cities to Own Lines All That Is Necessary for Franchise—Cost of Transfers.

An enabling act authorizing cities to own street railways, the republican aldermen believe, is all that the legislature needs to pass at this session to solve the traction problem in Chicago. Republican members of the council, it was learned yesterday, have had the matter under consideration with a view to bringing about a conference. Some of the aldermen said that with the passage of an enabling act the mayor's prop would be knocked from under him and there would then be nothing in the way of the council putting through a franchise ordinance.

Mayor Suggests a Receiver.

Application by the city for a receiver for the street railway companies, in case the franchises expire without the passage of enabling the municipal ownership legislation, or of an extension ordinance, is suggested as a possibility by Mayor Harrison. Such an application, he thinks, would at once bring to an issue the claim of rights on the part of the companies under the so-called ninety-nine year law. In any event, the mayor declares, the city is not helpless, and could by a combination of car license legislation and lowering of fares find ample weapons to fight the ninety-nine year rights contention.

Transfers Cost Traction Company.

Transfers good anywhere on the Chicago Union Traction company's lines have cost that road $2,200 a month, according to a statement made by General Counsel W. W. Gurley yesterday.

The council judiciary committee instructed Ald. Foreman, Palmer, and Dever to make experiments as to the best method of numbering automobiles and to report back an ordinance.

"The Automobile club would not protest against any reasonable numbering of the machines," said Ald. Palmer.

The committee deferred indefinitely consideration of the Chicago Pneumatic Service company franchise ordinance for tubes to transmit mail and parcels. It recommended for passage Ald. Hunter's ordinance for weighing commodities before sales.

Paving of Streets Ordered.

The board of local improvements ordered the paving of Archer avenue proceeded with at an estimated cost of $69,000. The following other asphalt paving was ordered begun:

Fulton street, Forty-seventh to Fiftieth avenue, $33,500.
Lytle street, Macalister place to Twelfth, $21,000.
North Mozart street, Humboldt boulevard to Avondale avenue, $23,500.

PARK COMMISSION WINS LAKE SHORE DRIVE SUIT.

Judge Holdom Awards Land at Foot of Bellevue Place—Opens Way for Completion of Street and Improvements.

The way for the completion and improvement of the Lake Shore drive extension was opened yesterday by a decision of Judge Holdom awarding to the Lincoln park commissioners a piece of property lying at the foot of Bellevue place, valued at between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000. This decision reverses the finding of Master in Chancery Stein.

The property affected, or so much of it as is not made land, was originally deeded to the park commissioners by Miss Caroline McCagg, sister and heir of E. B. McCagg. Her intention was to have it used for park purposes.

"This decision means a great deal for the park," said Attorney Frank Hamlin, who has conducted the suit. "It is also of vital interest to the property owners who have paid for the making of the new drive, taking in return the land between Pine street and the new driveway. They have been holding back before making improvements until this case was decided. I have conferred with the representatives of the Potter Palmer estate and I find that extensive plans have been made for the improvements, but that they have been lying idle until all this matter is settled."

New Arrest in Nelson Murder Case.

Joseph Callahan, suspected of knowledge of the murder of John Nelson, was locked up at the Twenty-second street station yesterday. Nelson was a yard watchman for the Western Indiana railway and was shot by four supposed car thieves, whom he discovered in the yards, on the night of Sept. 17 last.

DEATHS.

[For other deaths see page 11.]

DOWNING—Benjamin F. Downing, Jan. 6, aged 78 years, at the residence of his wife, Mary Downing, 285 Ogden-av. Train to Rosehill, Northwestern depot, Wednesday, Jan. 7, at 1 p. m.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

ORIENTAL LODGE NO. 33, A. F. & A. M.—Members are requested to attend the funeral of brother Samuel T. Hoerlein from T. B. Bowen & Co.'s, undertakers, 3913 Cottage Grove-av., Thursday, at 2 p. m. Carriages to Oakwoods cemetery.
GEO. T. WEIDINGER, W. M.
CHAS. CATLIN, Secretary.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1903.

Smuggling by Government Officers. The United States commissioner at San Juan, Porto Rico, has held for trial on the charge of smuggling an officer of the navy and a supervisor of elections. Several other persons were accused of the same offense, but the evidence was not strong enough to hold them. The goods smuggled were chiefly liquors. They were brought on a government vessel. The offense of smuggling when committed by a private citizen does not call for much comment. It is looked on by many as a venial crime. When men in the public service, and especially when officers of the navy or army are caught in such practices, nobody looks on the offense as a trivial one. It is assumed that their sense of honor should have been strong enough to keep them straight. It is especially necessary that the men who serve the government away from home should be circumspect, or they may bring reproach upon and injure their country. The men who stole from the Cuban postoffice during the American occupation of the island shook the faith of the Cubans in the integrity of American administration. When the Porto Ricans see American officials held to trial for defrauding the government they serve, they will be half inclined to believe that the standard of honesty is not much higher among Americans than it was among Spaniards. One dishonest officer in the Philippines may do more harm than a dozen in the United States.

Duty on Russian Beet Sugar. The Supreme court has decided that the treasury department was justified in collecting a countervailing duty on Russian beet sugar. The court is of the opinion that the Russian producer of sugar is practically paid a bounty on what he exports. That view of the case is taken everywhere except in Russia. The Russian government has persistently asserted that no bounty is paid and will not be moved from its position by anything the Supreme court of the United States may say. Therefore, the higher duties which were imposed on some classes of American goods when the treasury department made its ruling as to Russian sugar will not be lowered. The manufacturers whose business has been hurt by the duties will have to resign themselves to the loss of their Russian trade. No countervailing duties will be collected on Russian sugar, because none will be shipped to this country. Neither the United States treasury nor American manufacturers will be benefited by the decision of the court. It is to be hoped that the principal beet sugar countries of Europe will be loyal to the agreement they entered into last year and cease the payment of bounties on exported sugar. Russia did not take part in the Brussels beet sugar conference and will continue to pay bounties, but if other nations stop paying them, it will be well for the United States to repeal its provision for a countervailing duty and let Russian sugar, little of which will be imported, come in on the same terms as the sugar of other countries. Russian trade is worth having and nothing should be left undone, in reason, to get it.

THE MULE'S OFFICIAL STATUS.

The Western Missouri Court of Appeals, because a certain mule in Kansas City injured a workman, has delivered a sweeping condemnation of all mules, as if there were not mules and mules. It decides that the mule, not this particular mule but all mules, is a domestic animal of such treacherous and vicious nature that the courts may take notice of it, and that when a workman is injured by a mule its owner cannot plead ignorance of its nature as a defense.

This is a surprisingly sweeping decision. It is probable this particular mule is vicious—some mules are—but because he is vicious it is as unjust to decide that all these long-suffering and patient and much put upon animals are vicious as it would be to decide that all horses are fractious and vicious because some particular horse refuses to pull his load, probably for reasons entirely satisfactory to himself. It is likely that if the court had taken expert testimony upon this point it would have decided differently. Any old Missouri negro could have given the court important information upon the subject, for no one knows the peculiarities of the mule family better than an old negro, and equally no one is so well acquainted with old negroes as the mule.

The most objectionable feature of the decision is that it puts an unjust and unnecessary stigma upon the whole mule genus. The mule may be a mongrel, but he is smarter than the relatives on either side of the family and by courage, endurance, and defiant spirit avenges the persecutions which the inferior and weaker spirited parents have had to suffer for ages. The mule may be obstinate, but is only obstinate when it knows it is right; and as it is right nine times out of ten that is a virtue for which the court should have given credit. In fixing an official status it also should have said that the mule's courage never wavers; that it has endless capacities for work, and if it does not always choose to exercise them it has good reasons; and that it takes punishment without a whimper and conceals its feelings like a stoic. The court should have recognized the high place the mule holds in sacred history. It was the mule that walked away leaving Absalom hanging between heaven and earth, and wondered as it went why the young man wore his hair so long. It was the mule that faithfully served King David's sons after they had smitten Ammon. It was the mule that carried Solomon "in all his glory" to his coronation as king of Israel, and after he was crowned "all the earth" brought the wise monarch more mules, wisest of animals. It was the mule which was Ahab's chief concern when he sent his men to get grass for it in the famine. It was the mule which was to help bring the scattered tribes back to Jerusalem, as Isaiah prophesied. In peace the mule is patient and long-suffering. In war it may not, like the horse, say "Aha" when "the trumpet soundeth," nor "smell the battle afar off, the thunder of the captains, and the shouting." There is no need for it "to swallow the ground with fierceness and rage," for it knows that all the hard work will fall to it. And thus it has been from the beginning.

SUSPEND THE COAL DUTY.

The proposition of Senator Lodge that the duty on coal be suspended for ninety days ought to meet with no opposition in congress. Some congressmen would like to see the duty abolished for all time; but as that may not be feasible now they should coöperate to secure its temporary suspension. The effect will be to relieve eastern consumers directly and western consumers indirectly. An increase in the consumption of foreign coal in New England will divert to the west a quantity of coal which otherwise would be shipped to the seaboard and which is much needed here. There is great need of coal in New England. The manufacturing industries of that region are suffering for lack of it. Why should they be taxed 67 cents a ton on the coal they have to import? The domestic product needs no protection. As is well known, all the coal that can be mined in the United States today finds ready purchasers at abnormally high prices. The most zealous protectionist cannot say that the three months' suspension of the coal duty will be harmful.

The duty on anthracite should be removed unconditionally, as President Roosevelt recommended in his last message. It never should have been imposed, for it was not necessary. As for the duty on soft coal, it should be taken off permanently if the dominion government will remove its duty on American coal. Probably it will be delighted to do that. So far as this commodity, at least, is concerned, reciprocity with Canada is feasible and desirable. It will benefit both parties to the bargain.

When congress adjourned for the holidays, the coal shortage was not so acutely felt as it is now. There was an excuse for its failure to come to the relief of consumers. There is no excuse now. Before the holidays congress passed, by common consent, without debate, a bill to free the owners of tea in bond from the payment of duties on it. It should legislate with equal promptness for the relief of a vast army of American consumers of coal.

PARASITIC LABOR.

All over the United States the question of child labor is being discussed. It is a question which calls for a display not only of humane sentiment but of economic reasoning. Child labor has two results which are of concern to persons who neither directly employ it nor directly suffer by it. In the first place, the physical and moral character of succeeding generations is impaired. This has been indisputably proved. All talk about its being better for children to work industriously in nice, clean factories than to run wild on dirty streets is rendered futile by the two facts (1) that the children who are not working can be kept in school rather than on the streets, and (2) that the adage about all work and no play still holds good. No age was ever more convinced than this age is that what a child needs is free, unconfined development, with plenty of leisure. The all work factory child is not in most cases the father of a strong, moral, intelligent man. It was noticeable that the English military authorities reported that it was in the factory districts where child labor had long prevailed that so large a proportion of the population was below the standard required by the recruiting sergeant. England is still dismayed by that revelation.

Physical and moral degeneration, however, is only the first result which may be expected to appeal to the general public. There is a second. Child labor is parasitic labor. It is seldom that the child earns a wage which is sufficient for its support. It earns a wage which supplements the earnings of its parents. The child is supported partly by its own labors and partly by the labors of others. The person who employs child labor therefore employs it at a kind of premium. He gets more labor than he supports. The money that he pays to the child does not fully support the child. Here is a margin of profit. Who provides this profit? Why, the industries which are employing the fathers of working children. This is of course only one view of the matter. There are other circumstances—e. g.: the reduction of adult wages in consequence of child competition, which result in other views. The general position remains, however, that children seldom are paid enough money to cover their whole support, and that therefore their labor is seldom of such a character that it cannot justly be called parasitic. Now, parasitic labor preys on the rest of the community. The sooner it is destroyed the better.

IMPORTS OF RAW MATERIALS.

During the first eleven months of 1902 there has been an increase in imports of $75,000,000. Of the increase $54,000,000 represented raw materials or partially manufactured materials to be used by American manufacturers. No better evidence can be desired of the activity of the home manufacturers during the year. They have imported increased quantities of the fibers, rubber, and leather. They have even had to import steel because for the moment the domestic supply was not equal to the demand.

The raw materials imported have been converted into goods intended for export as well as for domestic consumption. There is cause for congratulation in the steady growth in the imports of "manufacturers' materials." They constitute now about 46 per cent of the total imports. In time the United States will become the great buyer of raw materials drawn from all parts of the world to be shipped back as finished goods to the countries whence they came.

The French and the Austrian shoe manufacturers are complaining that the American manufacturers are doing this at their expense. They say that their competitors on this side of the ocean are importing leather tanned in France and Austria, are making that leather into shoes, and selling them abroad for prices which they cannot meet. They are not the only foreign manufacturers who are disturbed over the incessant activity of their American rivals.

The American manufacturers would be even more successful in their search for foreign markets if some of the raw materials they use which are dutiable now were put on the free list. There should be no duty on hides, for instance. American cattle raisers are not helped by it, while it is a detriment to the manufacturers of leather and of footwear. There are some American industries which no longer need protection but which will be much benefited by free raw materials.

THE GERMANS IN BRAZIL.

Two years ago Senator Lodge called attention to the development of German colonies in Brazil as a menace to the integrity of that country and of the Monroe doctrine. Last year a prominent Brazilian said that the southern states of the republic are being denationalized because the Germans born there, although Brazilian by law, consider Germany their fatherland, celebrate enthusiastically German national festivals and anniversaries, and cling to their mother tongue.

This should occasion no surprise. The Americans who settled in Texas while it was still a part of Mexico never, under any circumstances, would have given up their mother tongue or become Mexicans in feeling. As Mr. Bonsall says in an article in the North American Review for January, the European colonists in southern Brazil come, for the most part, of races which are socially more efficient than the Brazilians, and are conscious of the fact. Furthermore, they show an inclination to maintain their liberties and defend their rights, which Mr. Bonsall thinks may some day create a situation which will be peculiarly interesting to the United States.

The German inhabitants of southern Brazil number about 400,000. Not all of them are really Germans. Some are Swiss, Austrians, or Poles. The Germans are assimilating men belonging to totally different races. They are Germanizing Roumanians, Italians, and Portuguese. It is plain that if the Brazilian government were to trespass on the rights of the intelligent and progressive communities that have grown up in the southern part of the republic there would be no tame submission to wrong. The German colonists would maintain their rights. It is not impossible that if they found it difficult to do so single-handed, they would turn to Germany for assistance. Then the United States would feel itself obliged to pay attention to the subject.

If the German colonists are not molested they will make trouble for nobody. They will go on quietly with the good work they are doing for Brazil. They have infinite affection for the fatherland—they would be poor Germans if they had not—but they do not wish to be subjects of the German empire and be ruled by German officials. If they should ever separate from Brazil it would be with the idea of establishing an independent government, not of becoming a German colony.

If the Brazilian government is not led by foolish distrust to the commission of unwise acts, the peace of South America or of the United States never will be disturbed by the German communities. Mr. Bonsall says: "To many, as to myself, these prosperous, well ordered communities have always appeared pregnant with hope for the future of the neglected continent." Americans need not borrow trouble on account of them.

It may make some difference if it costs more to use lemons than to boil the water.

Today the skyscrapers may have to scrape the sky for fuel.

By mere inertia the Hon. Bob Burke is managing to delay the procession to the political crematory in a most exasperating manner.

Judge Sherman was not born with that style of chin for nothing.

In the multitude of anti-trust counselors there is safety for the octopus.

Mr. McKenzie thinks Chicago will outgrow its hideousness. Here is where a ray of hope lightens up the gloom.

The life of a Japanese jinrikisha man is said to be only five years. This shows that in some cases a pull is the worst thing a man can have.

It is one of the hardest things in the world to induce a balky mule to submit the case to arbitration.

The soldiers at Fort Sheridan appear to be adopting with some enthusiasm the idea of segregation.

Mr. McKenzie must have noticed that all roads in Chicago lead from its "hideous business center" to its "amazingly beautiful" parks and boulevards.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Unendurable.

"Deah boy, is it true that you have discharged your valet?"

"Ya-as, the doosid scoundrel was too dem'd fresh! When I took him out with me he managed to make people think he was the mastah and I was the man, baw Jove!"

Even He Sometimes Does.

The voice of the letter carrier was heard distinctly outside the front door. He was talking to himself.

"Dad-ding these Blykinses!" he exclaimed. "They won't put up a letter box and they always keep me waiting longer than any other family on my run!"

"That's what they call the postman's knock," said Mr. Blykins, with a placid smile.

Things That Went Wrong.

GEORGIE'S HAIR.

"Purty slick hair cut, Georgie," said his playmate. "Been to the barber's, hain't ye?"

"No," he replied, indignantly. "Maw cut my hair. She kin do it a heap better'n any barber!"

MR. SMYTHE'S HEELS.

"What you need," said Mr. Smythe, the portly banker, as he overtook a neighbor who was making his way gingerly along the icy sidewalk, "is a pair of rubber heels, such as these I am wearing. You can walk all day with them on the slipperiest kind of pavements without a bit of danger. You see how easily I do it."

And as he quickened his steps to show him how carelessly he could walk he did not fall.

All Around Celebrity.

"Who is next?" whispered the chairman of the meeting, who was slightly deaf but did not suspect it.

"Mr. Thumpit, the noted pianist of Hyde Park," replied the secretary. "He has played all over the United States with wonderful success."

"Ladies and gentlemen," said the chairman, rising, "we shall have the pleasure of listening next to Mr. Plunkit, the noted pianist, who has played in Hyde Park and other parts of the United States with wonderful success." C. W. T.

PERSONAL.

Senator Quay says he is tired of denying rumors that he is to resign.

Andrew Cameron of Seville, O., has been continuously in railroad service since 1839.

Justin McCarthy is to bring his "History of Our Times" down to the accession of Edward VII.

Stephen Decatur, a great-grandson of the famous sea fighter, will enter the United States Naval academy soon.

Joseph H. Lynton of Fort Worth, Tex., has invented an airship and will enter the $100,000 contest at St. Louis.

If Folchi, the Italian artist, can secure a divorce from his wife he will marry the Princess Elvira, daughter of Don Carlos.

W. S. Devery has gone to law to compel Tammany to put him upon its executive committee. He also proposes to make Tammany confess what was done with the campaign fund.

LETTER OF MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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In order to understand the importance that the royal house of Saxony attaches to securing possession of the child to which the fugitive crown princess is to give birth in the spring, it must thoroughly be understood that if a boy it will be in the immediate line of succession to the throne of Saxony. No matter whether the Saxon tribunals pronounce a divorce against the crown princess, and no matter how much she may deny that the crown prince is the father of the child, it will nevertheless in the eyes of the law remain a fullfledged scion of the reigning house of Saxony, and a prince or princess of the blood, since it will be impossible to prove that the crown prince is not the father.

The crown prince has two younger brothers, one Prince John George of Saxony, who is a nice fellow, but whose union to Duchess Isabella of Würtemberg has remained childless, while the other brother is Prince Maximilian, who, in spite of the opposition of his father and of his uncle, the late king, abandoned the army for the church and entered the Roman Catholic priesthood. There was a third brother, Prince Albert, but he was killed a couple of years ago through a carriage accident caused by a drunken freak of Prince Michael of Braganza. He was unmarried.

The crown prince has three little boys, the eldest of whom, George, is just 10 years of age. But they are none of them strong, and thus it is quite within the bounds of possibility that the child to be born to the crown princess a couple of months hence, if a boy, may become the legitimate heir to the throne of Saxony. Were, however, the boy to become king, doubts would always prevail as to whether he was really the son of the crown prince, and this uncertainty would inevitably weaken the prestige of the Saxon throne and of its hold upon the loyalty and allegiance of the Saxon people.

From this it will be seen that there are grave dynastic interests at stake, and that the action of the Saxon court in taking steps to secure possession of the crown princess' child on its birth is not prompted by mere animosity against her, but by political considerations.

Under any circumstances, the life of the unfortunate child will be a pitiable one, and the best that can be hoped for it is that its lot may be similar to those of a prince and princess of another of the minor sovereign houses of Germany.

In that case a reigning grand duke, having become convinced of his wife's faithlessness, separated from her and banished her from his dominions. Her two youngest children were, according to her own confession and to his belief, the offspring of her chamberlain. But as there was nevertheless, in the eyes of the law, a possibility of their being his progeny, he was forced to concede to them the rank of a prince and princess of his house. He would not, however, see them or hold any intercourse with them, and they were brought up in a remote château—as members of the royal family, it is true, but were never allowed to appear at court or even in the capital of the grand duchy—branded, in one word, by the grand duke with the stigma of a suspected but not proved illegitimacy.

The crown prince of one of the greatest empires of the old world, while traveling by post chaise to Stuttgart to become officially betrothed to the princess of Würtemburg, who had been selected as the most suitable consort for him, by mere chance made the acquaintance of the exiled prince and princess and fell so deeply in love with the latter that he informed his father and the latter's government that they must break off the match with the princess of Würtemburg, as he had determined to wed no other but the royal maiden of his choice.

Reluctantly his demands were complied with by his father and an official offer made to the grand duke for the hand of the "Princess Cinderella," as she was called. The grand duke, who was immensely flattered by the prospect of a matrimonial alliance between his family and the reigning house of so great an empire, readily gave his consent, and then for the first time summoned the princess and her brother to his court and for the first time made their acquaintance.

They appeared there perfect strangers to him, to the members of his family, to the dignitaries of his court and of the state, and it was as crown princess-elect, that is to say, as the betrothed of a future emperor, that Princess Cinderella, a lovely girl, received the public acknowledgment by the grand duke that she was his daughter and his first paternal embrace.

The princess, however, never forgot nor forgave the treatment to which she and her brother had been subjected in their youth, and one of the first concessions which she obtained from her husband's father was that he should give her brother a commission in his army and the opportunity of making his home and his career in the land of her adoption. There is such an element of romance in all this that I often wonder why it has never furnished the theme of any play, or even of any novel.

In spite of the efforts to maintain secrecy with regard to the affair, the fact has come to light that during the stay of Emperor William at Sandringham, and without the knowledge of his uncle and host, King Edward, a petition was handed to him bearing the signatures of all the leading Roman Catholic peers of the British realm, headed by the duke of Norfolk, requesting him to repeal the decree of 1875, which dissolved in the kingdom of Prussia all the monastic orders save those who devote their activity to the nursing of the sick and urging the emperor to permit the return to his dominions of all religious orders, including the Jesuits, without let or hindrance.

The emperor received the petition with signs of manifest displeasure, realizing the impropriety of its presentation, and contented himself with declaring that every concession that the Prussian government could make had been granted in 1887, when a certain limited number of religious orders expelled in 1875 were authorized to return to the kingdom.

King Edward, when he learned about the matter, was furious, and I hear that two Roman Catholic members of his household, who are stated to have been concerned in the affair either directly or indirectly, are in the blackest of his books and likely to be deprived ere long of their offices.

Emperor William seems to have regarded the petition as wholly unwarrantable interference by foreign legislators in the affairs of his kingdom, and, moreover, even if the petition had been signed by German instead of English nobles, and had been presented at a proper time and place, it would have been ill advised just at the present moment, when the kaiser is devoting all his energies to uniting the various Protestant sects of his dominions into one German national Protestant church.

Lord Kitchener's arrival at Delhi was, like his departure from England, without fuss. It may be remembered that when he quitted London to assume the duties of British commander-in-chief in India he left under the name of "Mr. Cook," with the object of avoiding any of those popular demonstrations or ceremonial sendoffs, which he abhors. He reached Delhi fully twelve hours before the appointed time, and all the elaborate preparations which had been made to receive him with great pomp and distinction were frustrated. There was no one at the railroad station to meet him. So he quietly lit a cigar, stepped into a second rate ticca gharri, or hack, drove off to his quarters, and was actually established there before either the military and civil dignitaries, or even the members of his staff realized that the great "lord of war" was among them.

Logical.

Bacon—"A dog that runs under a carriage is called a carriage dog, is it not?"

Egbert—"Certainly."

"Well, what would you call a dog that runs under an automobile?"

"Why, a dead dog."—Yonkers Statesman.

Strange.

Tourist—"I must move. I couldn't get a wink of sleep all night on account of a baby in the next room that cried all night."

Waiter—"I don't understand that. The parents sleep in the same room and they never heard it."—Nordiske Blade.

Learn All Over Again.

Edith—"Mertie says she intends to learn to skate this winter."

Marie—"But she learned last winter."

Edith—"Yes; but she broke her engagement to that fellow."—Judge.

THE TOP O' THE MORNIN'.

What He Left.

[The late Bret Harte left an estate of only $1,800. Considerable surprise is manifested, as it was thought that he had been extremely successful during his career.—From a cable dispatch.]

He was unsuccessful? So?
Yes, to them who estimate
Life as cents and dollars go,
He has left a poor estate.
But he made us all the heirs
To the creatures of his mind—
To his golden mental wares—
All of these he left behind.

He has left us smile and song;
Left us beatings of the heart
That will thrill us over long
With the magic of his art;
Left us laughs and left us tears;
Left us pictures fair to see—
All the fruitage of his years
Left us for a legacy.

Unsuccessful? Was he, then?
Are not tales such as he told—
Of good women and brave men—
Just as rich as virgin gold?
All this mintage of his mind—
War and peace and joy and hate—
All this he has left behind.
Surely it is an estate!

"Just Among Friends."

J. O. H., Dayton, O.—It hasn't come yet.

"S. G." wants to know if a ton of coal will be as acceptable as stamps as an accompaniment to poems, etc., submitted to the Top o' the Mornin' man. We fear this is mere hilarity. We do not believe any poet has coal to give way.

H. T. J.—Come and get it. That one about picking currents off of electric plants was invented by Edison.

IGNORANT—Get wise. Send in your name for a post-graduate course in the Top o' the Mornin' Correspondence School.

CURIOUS—We work all the time. See Sunday Tribune of Jan. 11.

SHELLEY—Very good but too footloose. Write it over.

The Maligned Mule.

The Missouri Court of Appeals has this unkind fling at the bird that is wrongly called the mule:

> The mule is a domestic animal whose treacherous and vicious nature is so generally known that even courts may take notice of it.

At the request of numbers of mule lovers we have forwarded to the Missouri court the stanzas which recently appeared in this column, which set forth for the first time the true beauty of the mule—i. e., its melodious voice, and the charms of its matutinal song. In view of the attitude of the court we believe it will realize that there is a kick in every foot of the poem.

Hand Made Philosophy.

Miss Clara Morris has written a clever magazine article about two of her proposals of matrimony. Some other actresses and exactresses could fill a whole year of magazines if they chose to turn their matrimonial opportunities into cash.

But this simply goes to show the straits to which our literary element is being reduced. The conventional story of love, marriage, quarrels, and reconciliations has grown stale. The public demands something new. Miss Morris has twanged the new chord.

"Men Who Have Proposed to Me," if written by some actresses, would boom the magazine publishing it to such an extent that it would be necessary to triple the number of advertising pages.

Such things as "The Confessions of a Wife" lack the necessary thrill because they have not enough characters. And the public wants thrills. Thrills, frills, mills, wills, tills, and a few kills constitute the modern strenuous literature.

The man who looks into the crater of a volcano must tell in his magazine article about how nearly he came to sliding into the yawning gulf below—just as the lady who is reminiscencing on her proposals must give us an appreciative shiver or two when she points out the dire fate she escaped by telling the man to call again.

The polar explorer finds that his descriptive articles go better if he loses a few toes, or has to eat his suspenders. Just so with the articles on "Proposals I Have Had"—if the rejected lover can be described as shooting off his inamorata's ear, so much the better.

Scientific articles in the magazines rarely hold our eyes down to the tenth line unless they have a picture of a fierce germ woven into the initial letter. We have to take the artist's word for the looks of the germ, but the scare is there, so what would you? Proposals that come in one hand, with a dagger, or poison, or a revolver in the other, are exciting—all the more so when names and dates are given.

But hereafter the callow youth who gazes into the limpid eyes of his Dulcinea will do well to copyright his avowals, unless he is sure that she harbors no literary aspirations beneath her tremulous bosom.

Popular Song of the Day.

AS SUNG BY HOWITT BURNS.
My Chunk of Coal
A SONG TO WARM THE HEART.

Ann Thracite, so young and fair,
By countless men was wooed;
A maid of charms beyond compare,
By old and young pursued.
They called her "angel" "precious pet,"
And begged to buy the ring.
A knowing youth one day she met,
Who unto her did sing:

CHORUS:

"You're worth your weight in gold.
O, Ann, don't be so cold!
You are the dearest thing on earth, upon my soul!
You are my jewel fine!
Say that you will be mine.
No words can tell your worth—you are my chunk of coal!"

Lovers came to court this girl—
They came from near and far.
Some called her a "radiant pearl,"
And others said "My star."
Some said she was "their life, their all,"
That she "turned night to day."
But when the right man came to call,
He unto her did say:

CHORUS:

"Ann, can't you take the hint?
You're worth more than the mint.
My heart is beating but for you, upon my soul!
You're more than all they say—
Tell them to go away!
To you I will be true—you are my chunk of coal!"

ENCORE VERSE:

Ann said "yes" unto the man,
And shortly they were wed.
Alas! One night he rushed the can,
And woke with such a head.
His wife then read the riot act
Until late in the day.
While with the rolling pin she whacked
He unto her did say:

CHORUS:

"O, stop! I will reform.
Ouch! Things are getting warm!
You are a striker, for a fact, upon my soul!
I'm sorry that I boozed;
I'm bumped and bent and bruised.
This is too hot for me—you ARE my chunk of coal!"

W. D. N.

WOES OF THE EXCHANGE EDITOR

The exchange editor is a little bald headed man, who is armed with a pair of scissors, a pot of paste, and an angelic disposition. He sits on a revolving chair in a little room, entirely surrounded by tables on which every day are heaped up between 300 and 400 daily newspapers, weekly journals, and monthly magazines from all parts of the civilized and—if one may judge from their contents—the semi-civilized world.

When the exchange editor gets down at 9

"GIVE ME THE STILLWATER HERALD OF THREE WEEKS AGO LAST THURSDAY."

o'clock in the morning and crowds his way into his chair he is shut in inside a serried rampart of printed sheets which he is in duty bound to entirely demolish within the next eight hours. If 320 separate papers come in—which is inside the average—he is obliged to dispose of an average of one in a minute and a half during his working day in order to get through.

To dispose of a paper, under the rules of the exchange editors' union, it is not enough to glance at the first page and toss it carelessly off into the waste paper basket. He is obliged to run his eye down each column of each page and to catch at a glance everything which is or may be of interest to his own individual paper. If a picture is printed of the Hon. Jabez Jones, the prohibition candidate for county treasurer of Dulap county, S. D., he will do well to cut it out, for who knows but the Hon. Jabez may at some future date embezzle the county funds or be elected governor. Or if some obscure journal prints a bit of useless information to the effect that the total number of dog licenses issued in Cohoes, N. Y., if laid end to end, would reach from San Francisco to Dodge City, Kas., it is necessary to cut that out to give a possible suggestion to the Sunday editor of his own sheet.

On Monday morning, when most of the Sunday papers get in, the hollow square out of which the exchange editor must fight his way is multiplied by 100. Instead of twelve, or at most sixteen, pages, his "exchanges" count up from thirty-two to sixty pages each and his labors are multiplied accordingly.

But all this represents the least of his woes. Regularly at 9:15, just as he has got to work, a tall man, with a full beard and a long overcoat, pushes his way into the room.

"I WANT THE PERU PAPER THAT HAD THE ITEM ABOUT THE WEDDING OF LOUISE SHARP."

"Is this the exchange editor?" asks the stranger.

"Yes, sir," says the bald headed little man, putting aside his shears and assuming his angelic disposition, "what can I do for you?"

"Give me the Stillwater Herald of three weeks ago last Thursday," says the caller.

"I'm afraid I can't," says the exchange editor suppressing a desire to have a fit. "We don't—"

"Don't you get it?" interrupts the stranger.

"Yes," says the exchange man, "but we don't keep them three weeks. If we did this seventeen story building would have nothing but Stillwater Heralds in it."

"I never thought of that," says the visitor. "I wish you'd keep the copy of March 13 for me, please."

"I'll try to remember it," says the little man as he cuts a gash in a bundle of wisdom from Maryland.

When the man with the full beard backs gracefully out of the room he usually bumps into a woman in black who is accompanied by three small children.

"How do you do, madam," says the exchange editor, as he lays down his corncob pipe, puts on his coat, and offers her and the children all the chairs he can get hold of. She sits down. "Is there anything I can do for you?"

"Why, you know I've taken your paper for the last eight months."

"Yes," he says, with polite surprise.

"You know, before I was married I lived at Skaneateles. Well, father was a subscriber to the Troy Times for twenty years. Almost the first thing I can remember is our pantry shelves covered with it. I've never found any paper out west half so good for covering pantry shelves."

"Would you like to look at the Troy Times, madam?" says the exchange editor, sharpening his shears on his shoe and taking a casual glance at the statute on the subject of manslaughter.

"I'd like to get all the Troy, Rochester, and Auburn papers," says the caller. "Clara, let the man's papers alone."

Clara has, by this time, tipped about eighty-six valued contemporaries off on to the floor.

The exchange editor dives into the waste paper basket and comes up covered with ink and scraps.

"Here is last Saturday's Troy Times," he says. "The other papers you wanted have already gone downstairs."

"Well," says the caller, "the children and I are in no particular hurry. We can wait until you come back from downstairs."

In order to avoid a threatening stroke of apoplexy the exchange editor gets up and starts to go downstairs on what he is aware

"I THOUGHT I'D TAKE A COPY OF ALL THE NEW YORK PAPERS."

is a perfectly hopeless errand. A man comes into the room just as he starts to leave it.

"The exchange editor?" queries the stranger.

The exchange editor confesses his miserable identity.

"I want yesterday's New York Post," declares the man.

Just outside the door a boy from the postoffice is unloading three mail sacks full of exchanges.

"You'll have to wait," says the editor, "until this young man gets it open."

Then he rushes downstairs to avoid anything worse. When he comes back he meets the man who wanted the Post in the hallway. The man has on an overcoat and his pockets are bulging with papers.

"Did you find the Post?" asks the exchange editor, with a homicidal glance at the bulging pockets.

"Yes," says the stranger, "and while I was at it I thought I'd just take a copy of each of the other New York and Philadelphia papers with me."

"O," says the exchange editor, falling in a faint as the stranger hurried to the elevator.

But he was saved at least one encounter. The woman and her children who had been waiting for copies of most of the papers printed in the state of New York had grown tired of the delay and had gone away in disgust. The exchange editor went into his small room and heaved a sigh of relief as he saw that they were among the missing.

But his respite was short. A young person in a nearseal coat walked in and blushed as the exchange editor looked up.

"Say," she said, "I want the Peru paper that had the item in about Miss Sharp getting married."

"Indiana?" asked the exchange editor, who has a soft heart for a fair lady's distress.

"Her name is Louise," said the young woman. "I used to go to school with her."

"Peru (Ind.) paper came in this morning," said the exchange editor. "Is that the one you want?"

"No, Illinois," said the girl. "Ellen Decker told me she saw it. Ellen's a stenographer over in the New York Life building, you know."

"When did it happen?" asked the exchange editor.

"Some time last week, I suppose," said the girl. "Ellen told me about it day before yesterday."

"We only keep the papers that come in here long enough to look at them," said the exchange editor.

"Then you haven't got last Tuesday's and Wednesday's papers?" said the girl.

"I'm afraid not," said the exchange editor.

"I'm so sorry to bother you," said the girl. "I'm afraid I've made a great nuisance of myself. I thought this was the place where they kept them. I hope you'll excuse me for coming up."

The exchange editor gasped for breath as she went out.

"She apologized for taking up my time," he said. "She actually begged my pardon for something. She didn't get angry with me. It never happened before. I don't know what to make of it."

And the exchange editor did not get back to his normal condition until a couple of days later. H. M. H.

NEWS OF THE THEATERS.

Emmett Corrigan's Departure.

Emmett Corrigan, who has been featured as the star of the players' stock company at the Bush Temple of Music ever since that organization came into existence, will cease to shine in that constellation after the week of Jan. 19. Mr. Corrigan, who is now in Milwaukee, wrote the news to a newspaper friend in Chicago, and Manager Gleason of the players' company when seen yesterday said:

"Yes, now that Mr. Corrigan has taken the trouble to send the information so far, I am willing to say that he will not be in our employ after the week of Jan. 19 is ended. His associates, one and all, without exception, refuse to continue in the same company with him. He tendered his resignation and the management was only too glad to accept it. I would not have stated these facts were it not that he himself has announced his coming departure from the company." No successor to Mr. Corrigan has as yet been selected.

At a well attended concert in Music hall last evening, Bernhard Listemann and Rudolph Ganz were heard in two sonatas for violin and piano—the Cesar Franck and the "Kreutzer" of Beethoven. The former is a work that is but rarely played, and it would seem undeservedly, for it is of marked musical beauty, romantic and impassioned, and abounding in passages that display both instruments at their best. It was given with spirit by the two players and was received with favor. The vocalist of the evening was Maurice de Vries of Detroit, who is a French baritone of operatic training, whose tone production proved to be of the throaty, hit-or-miss variety—a tone anywhere it happens to strike—and who was heard to best advantage in the "Dio Possente" from "Faust."

The announcement was made yesterday that the English production of the morality play, "Everyman," which was brought to New York early in the season and has been given since that time in the principal cities of the east, will be presented here in Steinway hall for three weeks, commencing on Monday, Jan. 26. The company will be the same as appeared in New York. W. L. HUBBARD.

Barred the Gould Boys.

[From the New York Press.]

A self-appointed female director of society has been organizing a club of young college boys for a Columbia university mentor in whom she takes a motherly interest. These boys pay the mentor something like $3 a week each, and he hopes to get up a class of about thirty. In a list of sons of the rich which he submitted to his patron were the names of Jay and Kingdon Gould. She pounced upon them with a blue pencil, exclaiming: "O, if you are going to take every one that comes along the class will never amount to anything! To make a success of it you must be select. The Goulds are utterly impossible!" It is to laugh. Where are two manlier boys than George Gould's sons? As for pedigree—it is mostly a fiction at best. It is a syllabub for weak minds to feed on.

Max Is Still Worrying.

Max Nordau is worried about millionaires in the United States. Perhaps he has hunted so much for evidences of degeneration that he finds them everywhere.—Sioux City Journal.

JOHN MITCHELL HIS OWN LAWYER

Mine Leader Finds a Good Witness in Man Called by the Operators.

TALE OF TROUBLE DENIED

Sheriff of Scranton Admits There Was No General Reign of Lawlessness.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Sheriff Charles H. Schadt of Scranton, Lackawanna county, was the star witness before the anthracite coal strike commission today. He was cross-examined by President John Mitchell and admitted that there was not a general state of lawlessness in his county, but only in some localities. He admitted that deputy sheriffs were paid by the coal companies and that on one occasion troops had been sent to his county without his request.

The sheriff, in direct examination, said, among other things, that he issued a proclamation shortly after the strike was inaugurated, calling upon all persons in the county to keep the peace; that it was difficult to get men to act as deputy sheriffs; that in most cases where there was trouble it was usually over when he or his men arrived; that he attempted to keep the peace in all localities and that the disturbances became so numerous and serious that he had to call on the governor for troops. He had appealed to Mr. Mitchell, who he knew quite well, to assist in keeping the peace, and the miners' president promised to do so, and in several instances was of material help to the sheriff.

Cross-Examined by Mitchell.

To the surprise of most persons, Mr. Mitchell took up the cross-examination. It is not known whether he decided to do it because his principal attorney, C. S. Darrow of Chicago, had not arrived from the west or whether it was because Mr. Mitchell was personally well acquainted with the sheriff. It was the first time that Mr. Mitchell had attempted cross-examination to any extent.

To answer to questions of the mineworker's leader, the Lackawanna county sheriff said he had employed about forty or fifty deputy sheriffs, and admitted that they were paid by the coal companies.

Led by Mr. Mitchell, he said he could not say that a general state of lawlessness existed in the county, but in answer to another query said there was a reign of terror in existence in some localities. Among other things, he said that as a rule crowds dispersed when he ordered them so to do, and that striking mineworkers whom he knew obeyed his orders the same as other persons. He also admitted that the second contingent of troops sent into his county was ordered there without his request.

Chairman Gray Is Surprised.

This appeared to satisfy President Mitchell, and Gen. Wilson took the witness in hand and asked him why the county did not pay the deputy sheriffs. The sheriff replied that the companies had made the request for protection, and counsel for the witness explained that it was the law in Pennsylvania that the company asking for protection was compelled to pay for it.

This explanation surprised Chairman Gray, who, as he straightened himself up in his chair, said:

"I am not familiar with such an un-American law. When the county or the state relinquishes the duty of maintaining and protecting life and property and keeping the peace then they are open to criticism."

Some Nonunion Witnesses.

Lyman Croop of Plymouth, near Wilkesbarre, a 69 year old mineworker, told of having been beaten on several occasions while on his way to work and of having complained to Justice of the Peace Philip Walters of Plymouth for protection, but without success. The "squire," he said, would do nothing for him, and he could not tell why.

Counsel for the miners, in cross examination, tried to show that the justice of the peace could not act because the witness did not give him sufficient evidence. Chairman Gray did not place much weight on this, and said: "The justice of the peace deserves all the advertising he got here, pillowed as a justice of the peace who failed to do his duty."

While the entire day was taken up in hearing the stories told of intimidation, boycotting, and personal violence, the commission learned nothing new, the evidence being mostly cumulative. Twenty-one men recited the oft told tales of persecution they and others underwent during the late coal strike because they chose to work rather than join the strikers.

OFFERS TRAINMEN 10 PER CENT

Northern Pacific Willing to Give Employes One-Half of the Increased Pay Demanded.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 6.—The Northern Pacific today offered an advance of 10 per cent, an answer to the demands of its trainmen for an increase in wages. The men asked 20 per cent increase.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 6.—The grievance committees of the Order of Railway Conductors and Order of Railway Trainmen today formally presented to General Manager Mudge of the Santa Fé a demand for a 20 per cent increase in wages. The road has not yet taken action on the matter.

RUNAWAY GIRL CAUGHT WITH MAN ACCUSED OF ABDUCTION.

Romance Begun in Syria Ends in Canada with Arrest of Fourteen Year Old Nellie Asfoor and Solomon Skoff.

A romance which is said to have begun at Mount Lebanon, Syria, when Nellie Asfoor of 85 West Polk street was a child, culminated yesterday in her arrest in Ontario, Canada, in company with Solomon Skoff, with whom she is said to have left her home Dec. 29 last. Skoff is said to have first seen the child, when she accompanied her mother to his wedding in Syria years ago.

When Skoff came to this country last July he was welcomed as a former friend to the Asfoor home. His admiration for the girl grew with his association with her, until she finally told her mother that Skoff wanted her to marry him. Mrs. Asfoor ordered him from the house.

On the evening of Dec. 28 Nellie, who, although only 14 years old, is a peddler, returned home without her basket. She told her mother that the Austin police had confiscated her basket, telling her to return with $5 for a license fee and recover her property.

On the following morning the girl was given the money and went away. She did not return and the mother learned that Skoff also had disappeared. Mrs. Asfoor secured a warrant from Justice Prindiville, charging Skoff with abduction, and extradition papers are now being prepared to bring him back to Chicago.

SMALL BOY "PAINTS" THE TOWN

Starts Out with $23 of His Parents' Money and Soon Reduces His Capital by Half.

Inspired by a desire to see "all the shows in Chicago" as well as to "do the town" generally, 10 year old Jacob Sitwiewski, 692 Van Horn street, left home early yesterday morning with $23 of his parents' money. In the afternoon the police found him in a downtown museum drinking a big glass of red lemonade. The boy's pockets were bulging with purchases he had made, and he had only $11.60 of the $23 left. He was turned over to his parents.

OWN HUSBANDS THE BEST.

SOCIAL ECONOMICS CLUB WOMEN COMPARE AND DECIDE.

After Hearing About the Men of China, Turkey, Japan, and Other Nations They Find Americans Make Life Most Pleasant for Their Wives—Condition of Women in United States Declared to Be Better than Anywhere Else.

The American husband was made to look like a saint by comparison with the men of other nations during a discussion of the marriage customs of the orient at the Social Economics club yesterday.

After listening for hours to a discussion of the customs of the orientals, the married members of the club became reconciled to their "condition of servitude," and made vows that hereafter their husbands shall never have cause to complain of lack of devotion.

They were told by Gin Wai Chan that the wives of China were compelled to obey their mothers-in-law, and they shuddered at the thought. They were told by the Rev. Charles R. Ashdown, a former missionary to Turkey, that when a Turk desired to dispense with his wife he had only to tell her to put on her veil, take her dowry, and go, and they gasped at the idea. They were informed by Mrs. Caroline P. Wallace that the East Indian woman is bound in marriage when she is 12 days old, that her husband is her divinity, that she must serve him like a slave, and they trembled with indignation at the thought.

Japan the Limit.

When they were told by Dr. Sara Craig Buckley that the Japanese husband could divorce his wife if she disobeyed her mother-in-law, was jealous, or talked too much or disrespectfully, they secretly and openly vowed they would henceforth be content.

But all these terrible things failed to excite the consternation that was caused by the Rev. Mr. Ashdown when he said that the Turkish baths were to Turkish women what the Social Economics club is to Chicago women. This was a last straw.

"They do not have Social Economics clubs in Turkey," said Mr. Ashdown, "but they have Turkish baths. The Turkish bath is the Turkish woman's club. There they sit around with their sisters, smoke their cigarets, use their perfumes, and compare their husbands and daughters just as you do in your clubs."

Big Attendance at the Meeting.

The meeting was one of the largest in the club's history. It was opened by Mrs. Corinne Brown with the declaration that "wives are economic dependents." "If husbands could only get over the idea that they own somebody," said Mrs. Brown, "marriage would result in greater happiness. The feeling of ownership is the cause of all discontent."

Dr. Frances Dickinson announced that local customs were not the topics for discussion and introduced Gin Wai Chan, a local Chinese. He undertook to convince the clubwomen that their lot was not to be deplored. He began by explaining that the Chinese women bandage their feet "because," he said, "the smaller their feet the more likely they are to win good husbands." Mrs. Brown demanded the reason for the foot binding when it is recognized to be so injurious.

Mr. Gin made a laconic reply. "Why do you make your waists small?" he asked; "why do you wear 'straight fronts' when you know they hurt you?"

Turks a Superior Race.

"We can give the Chinese blame for doing things which we consider sinful and calling them by their right names," said Mr. Ashdown. "We do the same things in America and say nothing."

Speaking of the Turks, he said: "The Turks are a superior race. Their license is a poetical license. They do not commit the sin of having harems because it is a sin, but because their natures are poetic. The Turkish woman lives under better conditions than any in the orient. Divorce is easier in Turkey than in North Dakota. It is a proposition of 'pack your trunk and go' in Turkey."

Mrs. Caroline P. Wallace declared: "The East Indian wife is a child. She is bound in marriage when she is only 12 days old. Her husband may claim his wife at any age he sees fit. At the ages of 6, 8, and 9 many of these little girls are wives of men 30 and 40 years old. They are their slaves. They have absolutely no rights."

D. A. R. CONTINENTAL HALL FUND

Mrs. Fairbanks Reports to Managers Washington Site Has Been Paid For, with $61,000 Left in Treasury.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—At the meeting of the national board of managers of the Daughters of the American Revolution today the president, Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, expressed gratification over the liberal donations which have been made to the continental hall fund. She said that the proposed site for the hall in this city has been entirely paid for and that the treasury of the order contained $61,000 towards the amount needed for the erection of the building.

SIXTY-ONE TEACHERS PASS.

Supt. Cooley Will Send In List of Those Who Succeeded at Recent Promotional Examination.

Supt. Cooley will send to the board of education at its meeting this evening the names of the sixty-one teachers in the elementary schools who passed the promotional examination held on Dec. 20. The names are:

Mabel Abbott,
Nettie C. Anderson,
Virginia Bardwell,
Charles L. Blodgett,
Susan Bonfield,
Augusta Bultmann,
Horace L. Clark,
Claus H. Claussen,
Katherine M. Cullen,
Mary H. Damier,
John H. Davies,
Cora L. Davis,
Harriet B. Davis,
Helen B. Eastman,
Josephine Elliott,
Alice E. Fox,
Nellie Fincham,
Kate M. Flanagan,
Lenore Franklin,
Elsie J. French,
Sue Gallaher,
Frank K. Gorty,
Celia M. Gilmore,
Sarah McGill Hennen,
Matt J. Hevenor,
May F. Hobart,
Helen M. Holmes,
Frances Huntington,
Effie J. Kilbourne,
Leona E. Koeline,
Lillian H. Wright,
Anna Lacy,
Jetta Lancaster,
Mary L. Lincoln,
Mary McMahon,
Catherine A. MacMillan,
Jessie A. MacMillan,
Helen C. Maine,
Frank Mayo,
Mayme W. Miller,
Caroline R. Mills,
Zaidee E. Mitchell,
Ada M. Moore,
Julia L. Morris,
Albert C. Mueller,
Marilla Z. Parker,
Esther R. Perry,
Emma Peterson,
Sophia E. Pritchard,
Maria E. Ramey,
Ellen H. Robinson,
Grace Sargent,
Caroline Schreiner,
Edith M. Smalley,
Harriet R. Smithes,
Louise K. Stone,
Annie K. Sullivan,
Kathleen A. Sullivan,
May B. Wallace,
J. Norton Wolty.

Supt. Cooley will also recommend the appointment of the following teachers:

Kindergartens—Victoria C. Cleveland.
Commercial High school—Jany C. Edwards.
Elementary German—Dorothea N. Anderson.

INTEREST IN QUINCY LECTURE.

Former Mayor of Boston Will Speak on "Municipal Government" at Auditorium Friday Night.

Great interest is being taken in the forthcoming lecture by Josiah Quincy, former mayor of Boston, who will speak on "Municipal Government" at the Auditorium next Friday night under the auspices of the Municipal Lecture association. Mr. Quincy will be the second speaker to appear for the association in its course of lectures, the first lecture having been given by President Butler of Columbia university. No charge is made for admission to the theater, a few seats being reserved for the subscribers to the course. The association has arranged for future lectures by Dr. Lyman Abbott, Charles Francis Adams, Dr. Albert Shaw, and Jacob Riis.

Florida.

Through passenger service, taking effect Jan. 5, 1903, Pennsylvania Short Lines, from Chicago to Jacksonville and St. Augustine without change of cars. Leave Chicago at 8:40 p. m., arrive cities named the second morning. Dining car service. Pennsylvania ticket office, 248 South Clark street. For particulars address H. R. Dering, A. G. P. A., 248 South Clark street, Chicago.

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$2.00 Satin Impertrice, five shades....
$1.75 Colored Peau de Soie, broken lot..
$1.50 Fancy Novelty Silks—extra special
$1.50 White Mirrored Louisine....
$1.50 White Satin Striped Taffetas....
$1.25 Black and White Striped Silk....
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As one of this week's special features of this sale we have arranged a great offering of coats—women's, misses' and children's sizes—every known correct shape. We have rearranged the lots, making further reductions, determined that as the lots grow smaller the prices become lower. Five special lots at—

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Dress and Walking Suits.

Buy them at this sale at much less than cost prices. No reserve—everything to be closed out.

$5.00 for suits worth up to $15.00 | **$7.75** for suits worth up to $18.50 | **$9.75** for suits worth up to $20.00
$12.25 for suits worth up to $25.00 | **$14.75** for suits worth up to $35.00

In every department similar reductions are offered. **$1.00** for Corsets worth from $3.00 to $5.00—65c black taffeta Silks for **38c**—$1.50 fancy novelty Silks at **68c**—**$2.00** for Corsets worth from $4.50 to $9.00—$3.00 Paris novelty Silks at **$1.78**—Women's $1.25 Hosiery for **95c**—75c Hosiery for **25c**—$4.00 union suits for **$2.45**—$400.00 Moire Astrakhan 52-inch Coat, chinchilla trimmed, for **$225.00**—$275.00 Persian Fur Coat for **$140.00**—$42.50 French Seal Capes for **$27.50**—$10.00 French Marten Collarettes for **$5.00**—15c Laces for **5c**—25c silk Laces for **9c**—$15.00 spangled jet Robes for **$7.95**—$15.00 Feather Boas for **$10.95**—10c satin taffeta Ribbon for **5c**.

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

RECEPTION OPENS MESDAG EXHIBIT AT ART INSTITUTE.

Young People's Club of Church of the Atonement Will Present a Comedy Saturday Evening at the Parish House—South Side at Homes the Principal Events of Yesterday—Julia Lathrop to Address St. Luke's Hospital Alumni Association.

A reception yesterday afternoon opened the exhibition of the Mesdag marine paintings at the Art institute. There was some delay in getting the pictures hung in time, as they were still at the custom house at 11 o'clock in the morning. They are placed in one of the south wing galleries, where President French of the Art institute received the guests with Mrs. Charles P. Gruppe and Mrs. H. Sue Artz, who have charge of the exhibition. Both ladies are wives of Dutch painters and are managing the exhibitions in America. The pictures represent all the different phases of the life of the fisher folk at Scheveningen, near The Hague.

They were brought to Chicago from St. Louis. They wil remain at the Art institute ten days, and then will be taken to the Carnegie institute at Pittsburg, and later to the Metropolitan museum in New York.

The Young People's club of the Church of the Atonement, Edgewater, will present a comedy, "What's Next," on Saturday evening at the parish house, Ardmore and Kenmore avenues. Those who will take part are Mrs. Lorraine Decker Campbell, Miss Margaret Bright, Miss Maude Hitchcock, Miss Daisy Alice Francis, Harold Dewar, Pearce C. Beach, E. S. Rastall, Philip V. Bright, Rupert E. L. Smith.

The south side at homes were mainly the social affairs of yesterday. Some of those who received were Mrs. Caton, Mrs. A. N. Eddy, Mrs. H. R. McCullough and Miss McCullough of 2636 Prairie avenue, Mrs. W. H. McDoel and Miss Neff of the Metropole, and Mrs. C. A. Plamondon and Miss Plamondon of the Chicago Beach hotel. On the north side Mrs. George Hixon of 32 Banks street received.

Mrs. Theodore Emery and Mrs. Augustus H. Downs of 2838 Indiana avenue held the first of two at homes yesterday for their guest, Mrs. Lyman Blair Jr. Assisting in receiving were Mrs. Malcolm C. Mitchell, Mrs. Chauncey Keep, Mrs. William A. Magie, Mrs. Frank May, Mrs. James Watson, and Miss Chapin. The second at home will be held next Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Fuller and Mrs. John T. Boddie will give a luncheon on Monday, Jan. 12, for Miss Gleason of New York. There will be 100 guests. Miss Anderson of Carlinville, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. Boddie.

Miss McNulty of 1935 Sheridan road will give a luncheon today for Miss Speer of Atlanta, Ga., who is the guest of Miss Law of 1946 Belmont avenue. This evening Miss Law will give a Dutch supper for thirty-five guests.

Miss Julia Lathrop will speak before St. Luke's Hospital Alumni association at Hull house on the evening of Jan. 19. "Village Care of the Insane," illustrated with stereopticon views, will be the subject. Supper will be served in the coffee house. Miss Fulmer and Miss Witsie are the committee on arrangements.

The annual banquet of the Dartmouth Alumni association of Chicago Friday evening at the University club will be preceded by a reception from 6:30 till 7 o'clock. Dr. Tucker, president of the college, will be present.

Dr. and Mrs. Fenton B. Turck of 363 Dearborn avenue gave a dinner last evening for Sig. and Signora Mascagni. The other guests were Count and Countess Rozwadowski, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Selfridge, Mrs. Fernando Jones, and Mr. Graham Jones.

Mrs. Edwin L. Brand announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Ella Belle Brand, to Mr. Walter Charles Atwell on Tuesday, Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mathews of 428 Howard avenue, Austin, are in Florida.

Mrs. H. R. Wilson and Mrs. L. C. Tallmadge of Evanston will sail this month for the Mediterranean.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Sells of New York is the guest of Mrs. Francis W. Walker of 5222 Lexington avenue.

Mrs. Marshall of Appleton, Wis., is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. I. Samuels of 350 Oakwood boulevard.

Preliminary arrangements have been made to bring the Princeton Triangle club west for a performance at Chicago during the Easter vacation. A musical comedy will be produced, both the score and the words being by undergraduates.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kaufmann, 104 Evergreen avenue, will be at home to their friends on Sunday from 3 to 6 and 8 to 10 p. m. Sunday is the first anniversary of their wedding.

Will Address Nobscussett Club.

George A. King, who will respond to the sentiment "Emerson and Concord" at the Nobscussett club banquet on Friday evening at the Auditorium, long has been a resident of Concord, Mass. Twenty-seven years ago he served on the board of trustees of the Concord public library, with Ralph Waldo Emerson as chairman. Upon the death of Mr. Emerson Mr. King succeeded his as chairman and still retains this office.

Falls Down Elevator Shaft.

Albert Miller, 30 years old, 825 Oakdale avenue, lies at the Alexian Brothers' hospital suffering from severe injuries, sustained by falling down an elevator shaft at the Deering harvester works. He was employed on the third floor and none of the other employés was near him when he fell.

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HUMBLED BY HIS WAITRESSES.

Restaurant Proprietor Apologizes for Harsh Names He May or May Not Have Used.

Vindication was granted ten striking waitresses in Charles Weeghman's restaurant yesterday when Justice Hall ordered Weeghman to make an apology for the harsh names he applied to the girls when they struck. Weeghman had been arrested on ten charges of disorderly conduct.

Mary Peters, one of the girls, said the reason she [illegible] that she could not endure the treatment of Weeghman.

"When I was eating my own lunch he would 'rubber' to see what I had on my plate," she testified. "I could not stand such treatment."

"After you had struck you were rather noisy, weren't you?" asked Weeghman's attorney.

"Well, it wasn't any Sunday school," admitted Miss Peters.

Marie Miley told much the same story after Justice Hall had required her to discard a quantity of gum she was chewing, and then Weeghman, with tears in his eyes, took the stand. He professed to be unable to recall what he had said to the girls, but was willing to apologize on general principles.

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Disposition of Seaboard to Take Wheat from Here and Liberal Decrease Reported in World's Available Stocks Incline Shorts to Cover —Corn Strong Enough to Aid Other Grains on Liberal Shipping Sales— January Up Sharply—Other Markets

Wheat showed more strength than for several days yesterday, the May delivery keeping above 75c even when weakest, but the appreciation in value was small, the range only ⅜c, with the closing quotation the top for the day, 75⅝-½c, and a net gain of ⅛c. Some help was borrowed from a strong corn market. Prominent shorts covered freely on the evidence of a better tone to the cash situation, sales here of 125,000 bu, including some No. 1 northern to go all rail to the seaboard for export at a shade better than 2c under May. Nearly as much more sold within a few days, but not reported, was ordered out of store for shipment. Shippers who did not share in the business, however, were skeptical as to the possibility of getting much better than January price in store for the No. 1 northern. There were also sales of 160,000 bu by a Chicago house to go by way of the gulf, and the seaboard put the total export business at 280,000 bu. Clearances were 213,669 bu.

Something of the late firmness was due to the Bradstreet report of a decrease of 3,440,000 bu in world's stocks, compared with a decrease of 1,536,000 bu the corresponding week last year. The market might have done still better but for heavy selling by some of the St. Louis houses, Bennett, Spencer, Milmine-Bodman, and Canby, though opinion was divided whether it was for St. Louis account or for Patten.

The Argentine news was as bearish as it has been—harvest there reported progressing favorably, and the weather in the country was not unfavorable. Receipts were comparatively heavy, 378 cars at Minneapolis and Duluth, 52 more than last year, and 640,687 bu at primary points, compared with 438,622 bu last year. Local receipts were 52 cars. There were 21 cars contract out of private houses and 20,500 shipped from state. Minneapolis stocks increased 375,000 bu so far this week. There were claims of a better flour demand there and at St. Louis. Local contract stocks increased 60,000 bu for the week, to 4,213,000 bu. A year ago they were 4,980,000 bu. Total stocks in all positions were reported at 11,510,000 bu, an increase of 22,000 bu.

Liverpool futures were ⅛d higher. Paris, which advanced 2c Monday on small receipts there, lost ¼c of that advance.

Corn a Strong Market.

A better shipping demand for corn from the east, a little less difficulty in getting cars for eastern business, together with the poor grading of arrivals here helped make a strong corn market, though the greatest help was the uneasiness of January shorts over the rumor that the contract stock here is all owned by the January longs. Their buying caused an advance of 1⅝c to 47c, and the close, after temporary dips, was at the top. The January strength was undoubtedly a help to the May, but its gain was the modest one of ¼c to 43½-⅝c. Deferred deliveries gained ¼c. The eastern demand was general, seaboard stocks being low. Cash prices were firm to ½c higher and shipping sales probably aggregated 350,000 bu. The seaboard reported 280,000 bu taken for export. St. Louis claimed a good cash demand "from every direction" and Texas was reported to be drawing heavily on Kansas stocks. Of 588 cars here only one graded contract, the output from private houses about 35,000 bu. The estimate for today is 270 cars. Local contract stocks increased 268,000 bu to 1,849,000 bu, and total stocks are 3,073,000 bu, a gain of 482,000 bu. Primary receipts were 864,895 bu to 551,707 bu last year. Clearances were 329,877 bu. Available stocks decreased 695,000 bu, compared with an increase of 601,000 bu last year. Liverpool futures were ⅝-¾d higher. Armour was a buyer of May and there were symptoms of Patten buying. Pringle, Harris-Gates, and Barrell sold. Fyffe Bros., Weare, and McReynolds took January, the selling by Richardson and scattered holders.

There was a quiet market in oats, but a firm one, the range barely ¼c, the close for May at the top, 34⅛c, and a shade better for the day. Cash oats were even stronger than futures, firm to ¼c higher, and there was a fair shipping demand with sales of 150,000 bu. Stocks of standard continue to decrease, 734,000 bu now in store, or 116,00 bu less than the week before. Total stocks are 2,850,000 bu, a decrease of 116,000 bu. Out of 306 cars inspected in 6 were standard. For today 155 cars are estimated. Stocks east of the Rockies increased 89,000 bu. Clearances were 9,481 bu. There was selling of May by Kidston and Sterling, possibly for one of the leading longs. Shippers were good buyers.

Provisions Are Up.

Conditions in provisions were fairly active, closing prices showing gains of 5@10c in lard and ribs. The January pork delivery closed unchanged, while May was 7½c up. Logan-Bryan, Ware, Leland, and other commission houses prominent on the selling side of both pork and lard Monday were buyers yesterday. The selling, outside of some done by Schwabacker, was scattered. Liverpool prices were from 6d@1s lower on the list. Hog receipts were 31,000, with 43,000 estimated today. Western packing points had 78,800, against 100,300 a week ago and 125,200 last year. Shipments of cured meats were 1,903,900 lbs, as against 2,362,760 lbs a year ago, and of lard 1,445,700 lbs, as compared with 450,100 lbs a year ago.

Rye was dull and easier at ¼c decline for May, which sold at 50⅝c. Receipts were 18 cars. Trade was in extremely light volume.

Barley continued strong and in some cases 1c higher. Receipts were 64 cars. Screenings ranged from 30@42c, feed grades 38@43c, low grade malting 42@45c; common to good malting 46@53c, and choice 54@56c.

Timothy seed was strong at unchanged prices, country lots ranging $2.50@3.85.

Flaxseed was steady but dull; No. 1 Northwestern $1.21 and southwestern $1.14. Rejected ranged from $1.05@1.09. May was held at $1.23, with $1.21 bid. Receipts were 3 cars here, 32 at Minneapolis, and 79 at Duluth.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.	Closed Jan. 5.	High.	Low.	Closed yesterday.	Closed Jan. 7, 1902.
Jan....	71⅝	71⅝	71¼	71⅝	79½
May...	75½-⅝	75⅝-¼	75-¼	75⅝-½	83½
July...	72⅜-⅝	72⅝	72½-⅝	72⅝-¾	82⅝
CORN.					
Jan....	45⅝	47	45⅝	47	64
May...	43¼-⅜	43⅝	43¼	43½-⅝	67¼
July...	42½	42⅝	42⅜-½	42⅝	66½
Sept...	42⅝	42⅝	42¼	42⅝	66⅝
OATS.					
Jan....	32¼	32¼	32¼	32¼	45⅝
May...	34-⅛	34⅛	33⅞	34⅛	46½
July...	31⅛	31¼-⅛	31⅛	31⅛	40⅝
MESS PORK.					
Jan....	17.20	17.20	17.20	17.20	16.80
May...	15.95	16.12½	15.97½	16.02½	17.22½
LARD.					
Jan....	9.80	9.85	9.80	9.82½	9.82½
May...	9.30	9.45	9.37½	9.42½	9.92½
July...	9.15	9.25	9.20	9.25	10.00
SHORT RIBS.					
Jan....	8.35	8.47½	8.40	8.47½	8.45
May...	8.57½	8.67½	8.62½	8.67½	8.77½

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 and better	Standard.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat	1	...	14	17	32
Spring wheat	1	...	7	16	24
Corn..........	1	...	353	234	588
Oats..........	4	6	70	226	306
Rye..........	7	...	8	3	18
Barley.......	..	...	5	59	64
Totals....	14	6	457	555	1,032

Inspected out—Wheat, 8,100 bu No. 3 red winter, 5,400 bu No. 4 red winter, 20,500 bu No. 1 northern spring. Corn, 3,100 bu No. 2 white, 8,000 bu No. 3, 100 bu No. 4. Oats, 12,000 bu standard. Loaded from unlicensed elevators—Wheat, winter, 2 cars No. 2 red, 3 cars No. 3 red, 4 cars No. 4 red; spring, 20 cars No. 1 northern. Corn, 2 cars No. 2 yellow, 151 cars No. 3 yellow, 17 cars No. 3 white, 32,700 bu No. 2, 62 cars No. 3, 6 cars No. 4. Oats, 1 car No. 3 white, 17 cars No. 4 white.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—Dull. Winter patents, $3.40@3.50; straights, southern and Michigan, $3.10@3.25; Wisconsin, $3.10@3.20; spring special brands, $4.20; hard patents, $3.60@3.70; soft patents, $3.40@3.50; white rye, brls, $2.70@2.80; dark, brls, $2.60@2.70.

WINTER WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store and to go: No. 3 hard, 67c; No. 4 hard, 60c. On track: No. 4 hard, 60c. Free on board: No. 4 red, 60@69c; No. 3 red, 63@75c; No. 2 red, 76c; No. 4 hard, 58@65c; No. 3 hard, 68@69½c. Billed through: No grade red, part car at river, 48c.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady. Sales in store and to go: No. 1 northern, 100,000 bu on p. t.; No. 3 spring, 25,000 bu on p. t. On track: No. 4, 60c. Free on board: No. 4, 67@70½c; No. 3, fancy, 74½c; No. 2 northern, 75½c; No. 1 northern, 76c. Billed through: No. 4, 64½c.

CORN—Firm. Sales in store and to go: No. 2, 46⅝c; No. 3, 47½c; 350,000 bu for shipment on p. t.; No. 4 yellow, 42@42¼c. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 39c; No. 4, 39½@43c; No. 3, 41@46c; No. 3 yellow, 42⅞@43½c; No. 3 white, 41@46½c; ears, 48c. Billed through: No. 4, 38@42c; No. 3, 39½@42c; No. 3 yellow, 41@42⅝c; No. 3 white, 39⅝@40⅝c.

OATS—Firm and ¼c higher. Sales in store and to go: No. 4 white, 32c; white clipped, 135,000 bu. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 31@31½c; No. 4, 30@31⅝c; No. 4 white, 30½@32⅝c; No. 3, 31½@32¼c; No. 3 white, 32¼@34c; No. 2, 32@32¼c; standard, 33¼@34c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 30@32¼c; No. 2, 32c. At the river: No grade, 28½@29½c; No. 4, 30½c; No. 4 white, 29½@31½c; No. 3 white, 30½@31½c; standard, 32c.

RYE—Quiet. Sales free on board: No. 3, 49c. Billed through: No. 3, part car at river, 47¼c.

PROVISIONS—Firm. Cash lots mess pork, regular, $17.50; old, $17.25; lard, $9.82½; ribs, $8.45@8.60.

Trade Gossip on 'Change.

The principal business of the directors yesterday was the adoption of a set of resolutions complimentary to retiring President William S. Warren, which were introduced by Director N. B. Slaughter and are as follows:

Whereas, Mr. William S. Warren has served the board of trade of the city of Chicago as its president for three successive terms with conspicuous ability; and,

Whereas, During that time he has by an unswerving integrity and fidelity upheld the highest ideals of mercantile conduct in the policy and legislation of the board; and,

Whereas, Under that policy so wisely and broadly inaugurated by himself the board has steadily advanced and prospered as a great commercial organization; and,

Whereas, In the discharge of his duties as presiding officer of the directory he has shown not only an uncompromising loyalty to his well considered convictions but an unvarying courtesy of manner and of speech, so that he has won at once the respect and affection of the board of directors,

Resolved, That the board of directors of the board of trade of the city of Chicago hereby extend to Mr. Warren their sincere thanks for his distinguished and unselfish services and express their high esteem for him as an officer and their admiration for him as a man and friend.

Resolved, That we extend to him our best wishes for his happiness and prosperity, and assure him that we shall always turn with pride to the record of his administration.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the directors' records and a copy presented to Mr. Warren.

Four new members were elected yesterday.

W. T. Haarsteck, the St. Louis grain operator, has sold his membership and posted it for transfer.

Bradstreet's report of a decrease of 1,440,000 bu in wheat stocks east of the Rockies compared with an increase of 60,000 bu in the official visible supply shows a liberal movement from the interior to terminal points. Decreases of 720,000 bu in northwest country elevators and of 500,000 bu in Manitoba were reported.

Estimated arrivals for today are: Wheat, 85 cars; corn, 270 cars; oats, 155 cars; hogs, 43,000.

IN FOREIGN PRODUCE MARKETS.

Current and Closing Quotations on Grain, Provisions, and Cotton at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 6.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 11½d; No. 1 California, 6s 8d. Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new, 4s 11⅝d. Provisions—Beef—Extra mess quiet, 1.10s; bacon, Cumberland cut steady, 46s 6d; short ribs dull, 47s 6d; short clear backs quiet, 46s 6d.

Oil and Oil Certificates.

OIL CITY, Pa., Jan. 6.—Credit balances, $1.54; certificates, no sale. Shipments, 91,017 brls; average, 74,222 brls; runs, 25,420 brls; average, 60,027 brls.

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Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders and voting bondholders of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company will be held pursuant to a call therefor by said company's Board of Directors, at the company's offices, 22 Fifth-av., in the city of Chicago, Illinois, at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, the 10th day of February, 1903, and at any time to which said meeting may adjourn, to act upon the questions of increasing the authorized capital stock of the company by an amount of common stock sufficient to make the aggregate capital stock of the company one hundred million dollars ($100,000,000.00) par value and of empowering the company's Board of Directors to issue its common stock (whether authorized at said meeting or previously) from time to time and in such amounts as said Board of Directors may determine, and for any purpose allowed by law; and to act also upon the questions of leasing the railroad franchises and property of the Fremont, Elkhorn, and Missouri Valley Railroad company, and of thereupon purchasing such railroad franchises and property beside all the other property of said Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley Railroad Company.

This notice is given by order of the Board of Directors of said Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company, and is signed by a majority of the members of said board and by the company's President and Secretary, and bears the company's seal.

Dated Nov. 11, A. D. 1902.

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We own an up-to-date smelter.

We own a first-class saw mill.

We have over 2,500 feet of tunneling already done and large bodies of ore exposed.

Our mines contain rich values in copper and silver besides paying values in gold.

We have 750,000 tons of ore in sight in one mine alone, and sufficient ore in this mine to keep a plant capable of reducing 1,000 tons a day running for many years.

We have no Preferred Stock, no Bonds, no Mortgages.

We have no debts.

We have no taxes to pay for a number of years owing to services rendered the county.

WHAT WE WANT.

We not only want, but absolutely **need** a concentrating plant. We need it for our own ores and we need it because a profitable concentrating business can be done for the many other mines in the vicinity.

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Are we to throw away this vast sum of money each year for lack of a few thousands of dollars for such badly needed improvements?

Every business man will very quickly answer "No," most emphatically.

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BANK PROFITS ARE LARGE

ILLINOIS TRUST EARNS $1,460,000 OR 36 1-2 PER CENT.

Merchants' Loan and Trust Has a Record Year with Net Income of 23 Per Cent—Other State Institutions Make Good Showings—Annual Elections Held Yesterday—Railway Earnings—No Increase in Canadian Pacific Stock Is Expected.

Net profits of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank for 1902 were $1,460,000, or 36½ per cent on the capital stock of $4,000,000.

It transpires that the bank paid an extra dividend of 1 per cent in November, which, with the one in July, made 2 per cent extra for the year in addition to the regular 12 per cent dividends, or total disbursements to stockholders of 14 per cent. After these dividend payments there remained 22½ per cent, or $900,000, to be credited to reserve, undivided profits, and surplus. The bank's surplus on Dec. 22 was $5,000,000 and the undivided profits $865,798. For a moneymaker the Illinois Trust occupies a conspicuous position. The directors of the bank met yesterday and elected the following officers:

President—John J. Mitchell.
Vice presidents—William H. Mitchell, W. H. Reid, F. T. Haskell, James S. Gibbs.
Cashier—B. M. Chattell.
Assistant cashiers—J. I. Cooper, F. I. Cooper, E. S. Layman.
Secretary—William H. Henkle.
Assistant secretary—F. M. Sills.

Record Year for Merchants' Loan.

The Merchants' Loan and Trust company had a record year, the earnings being approximately 23 per cent on the capital stock of $2,000,000, or $460,000. The growth of the Merchants' has been in the last few years noteworthy, although it is the oldest bank in Chicago.

The annual election of the stockholders was held yesterday and the following directors elected: Marshall Field, Albert Keep, A. H. Burley, Elias T. Watkins, Enos M. Barton, E. D. Hulbert, Cyrus H. McCormick, Lambert Tree, Erskine M. Phelps, Moses J. Wentworth, E. H. Gary, Orson Smith. The directors elected the following officers:

President—Orson Smith.
Vice president—E. D. Hulbert.
Cashier—J. G. Orchard.
Assistant cashiers—F. M. Wilder, F. G. Nelson, P. C. Peterson.
Secretary of trust department—Leon L. Loehr.
Manager bond department—John E. Blunt Jr.

Western State Earns 10 Per Cent.

Net profits of the Western State bank for the year were approximately $50,000, or 10 per cent on the capital stock of $500,000. The showing of the bank is considered so satisfactory that dividends at the rate of 6 per cent will begin in the current quarter. The disbursement will probably be made quarterly. The matter will be finally determined at a meeting of the directors to be held tomorrow.

The bank's growth of deposits in the year 1902 was 65 per cent. At the close of business Dec. 31 deposits were approximately $2,000,000.

At the annual meeting yesterday some additions to the board of directors were made. The following new directors were elected: W. A. Gardner, general manager of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad; James W. Stevens, president of the Illinois Life Insurance company, and C. T. Moore of Charles A. Stevens & Bros. Old directors reëlected were R. J. Bennett, John Kranz, H. W. Hoyt, A. E. Ziehme, John E. Kavanagh, W. A. Wieboldt, Charles L. Johnson. Retiring directors are George Van Zandt, George M. Ludlow, Theodore A. Shaw Jr. The old officers will probably be reëlected at the meeting of the board tomorrow.

Pullman Loan and Savings.

At the close of business on Dec. 31, 1902, the Pullman Loan and Savings bank had deposits of $2,477,578. The annual meeting was held yesterday and the following officers and directors were elected:

President—Edward F. Bryant.
Cashier—David J. Harris.
Directors—Robert T. Lincoln, Stephen F. Gale, Geris Vanderpyde, Edward F. Bryant, Frank O. Lowden, George F. Brown, Theodore K. Long, E. Howard Rumbold, Edmund D. Hulbert.

Drexel State.

The officers of the Drexel State Bank of Chicago were reëlected at the annual meeting held yesterday. No change has been made in the board of directors, which follow: W. T. Fenton, A. W. Harris, W. A. Tilden, E. D. Stevens, L. M. Smith, Oscar F. Schmidt, H. W. Mahan. The officers are:

President—H. W. Mahan.
Vice president—Edward D. Stevens.
Cashier—B. M. Kelly.

Colonial Trust.

Stockholders of the Colonial Trust and Savings bank held their annual meeting yesterday. Directors and officers were elected as follows:

President—H. H. Rose.
Vice president and cashier—L. C. Rose.
Assistant cashier—A. S. Boos.
Directors—H. S. Black, J. G. Walker, Josiah Little, R. I. Stearns, G. A. Rose, Arthur W. Underwood, S. B. Thomas, L. C. Fuller, Howard F. Chappell, L. C. Rose, H. H. Rose.

Railway Earnings.

	1902.	Increase.
SOUTHERN RAILWAY.		
Fourth week December	$1,092,163	$33,294
Month December	3,480,496	315,175
From July 1	21,268,621	2,137,817
PEORIA AND EASTERN.		
Fourth week December	88,518	12,439
Four weeks December	263,187	34,928
CLEVELAND, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS.		
Fourth week December	597,658	59,877
Four weeks December	1,700,778	85,934
CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN.		
Fourth week December	189,715	*10,958
Month December	618,094	7,957
From July 1	5,843,764	*120,531
DENVER AND RIO GRANDE RAILROAD, INCLUDING RIO GRANDE WESTERN.		
Reports for November—		
Gross	1,511,736	22,107
Operating expenses	981,238	41,911
Net	530,498	*19,804
Surplus	186,939	*43,329
From July 1—		
Gross	7,833,893	132,627
Operating expenses	4,631,992	*54,896
Net	3,201,901	107,523
Surplus	1,592,093	118,660
KANAWHA AND MICHIGAN.		
Fourth week December	30,022	8,317
Month December	99,534	23,212
From July 1	510,756	*17,345
TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS AND WESTERN.		
Fourth week December	94,308	18,660
Fiscal year	2,836,691	25,056
CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.		
Fourth week December	462,089	73,208
Month December	1,894,316	141,098
From July 1	7,538,953	*940,693
ST. LOUIS AND SAN FRANCISCO, INCLUDING CHICAGO AND EASTERN ILLINOIS.		
Fourth week December	901,394	181,589
From July 1	16,836,347	2,111,832
PERE MARQUETTE.		
Fourth week December	270,720	31,627
From July 1	5,164,768	858,039

*Decrease.

Dividends Declared.

The American Car and Foundry company declared a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on common stock, an increase of ½ per cent over last payment. This places the stock on a 4 per cent basis. The usual quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on preferred stock also has been declared.

The Greene Consolidated Copper company declared a dividend of 2 per cent, payable on Feb. 2. Books close on Jan. 20 and reopen on Feb. 3.

The Daly-West Mining company declared the usual monthly dividend of 60 cents per share, payable on Jan. 15. Books close on Jan. 10 and reopen on Jan. 16.

New York Curb Market.

Following were closing quotations in the New York curb market:

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can	11	11½
Do pfd	50	50½
Compressed Air	1¼	2
Bay State Gas	1 3-16	1¼
Baking Powder pfd	101	104
Electric Boat	20	28
Do pfd	35	45
Manhattan Transit	4⅞	5¼
Montreal and Boston	2¼	2⅝
Otis Elevator	43¾	45
Do pfd	97½	98½
Standard Oil	748	750
Enameling	33	34
Do pfd	85	90
Havana Cigar company	47½	48
Do pfd	64	65
Seaboard Air line	27⅞	28
Do pfd	43¾	44⅞
St. Louis Transit	27	28
United railway pfd	80	81
Electric Vehicle	4¼	5
Do pfd	9	10
Northern Securities	111⅛	111⅞
Con. Equipment	½	6

Foreign Exchange Prices.

Foreign exchange closed easy at the following figures:

SELLING.

Checks, Paris	516⅛+1-32
Cables, London	487
Checks, London	486¾
Checks, Berlin	95 3-16
BUYING.	
60 days, London, bankers'	483¾
60 days, London, documentary	483⅜
3 days, Hamburg	95
3 days, Antwerp	518⅝
60 days, France	520
3 days, Holland	40 1-16
60 days, Holland	39 15-16

General Financial News.

It is reported the George A. Fuller company, which is controlled by the United States Realty company, has sent a staff of officials to London to open an office there and compete for business in the British metropolis.

The number of cars manufactured by the Pressed Steel Car company during December exceeded the output of any month since the company was formed. The average was 104 cars a day.

A director of the Chicago Title and Trust company says the annual statement to be issued the latter part of this month will show nearly 9 per cent earned on the stock.

United States Gypsum officials decline to forecast the showing of their annual statement to be submitted at the annual meeting Feb. 2. They intimate it will be satisfactory.

The Northern Securities company has extended the time during which it will purchase Great Northern stock at $180 per share, payable in stock of the former company at par, to the close of business on Jan. 24.

Net earnings of the American Car and Foundry company for the quarter ended Nov. 30 were $2,150,000.

The subtreasury has since last Friday lost $906,000 to the New York banks.

Bank Stock Prices.

Howard, Small, Sibley & Co. furnish the following quotations on Chicago bank stocks:

NATONAL BANKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Bankers' National	169	175
Chicago National	405	420
Commercial National	360	375
Continental National	255	270
Corn Exchange National	420	430
Drovers' Deposit National	150	175
First National	398	403
First National of Englewood	150	....
Fort Dearborn National	140	150
National Bank of the Republic	160	170
National Bank of North America	145	150
National Live Stock Bank	260	275
Oakland National	150	165
STATE BANKS.		
American Trust and Saving bank	195	200
Central Trust company	124	126
Chicago City bank	160	170
Colonial Trust and Savings	175	....
Federal Trust and Savings	140	145
Hibernian Banking association	....	230
Illinois Trust and Savings	710	725
Merchants' Loan and Trust	398	405
Metropolitan Trust and Savings	107	112
Milwaukee Avenue State bank	110	120
Northern Trust company	500	510
Prairie State bank	140	150
Pullman Loan and Trust company	200	....
Royal Trust company	150	160
State Bank of Chicago	250	265
Union Trust company	165	....
Western State bank	125	130

Canadian Pacific.

People who have good information on Canadian Pacific do not credit the story of another stock increase in the immediate future. It is pointed out that the last installment of the $19,500,000 voted about a year ago has just been issued.

As to an increase in the dividend rates to 6 per cent, such a move is regarded as highly probable. Present earnings and the outlook for the future warrant such an increase.

Tennessee Coal Earnings.

Net earnings of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company for the fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1902, amount to approximately $2,600,000 as compared with $1,724,000 in the preceding year.

It is estimated that after providing for fixed charges, preferred dividend, sinking fund, and depreciation, there will remain a sum equal to 6 per cent on the common stock, but it is not deemed probable this will be paid, but on the contrary be appropriated for betterments.

Chicago Stocks.

American Can preferred had another substantial advance in the local market yesterday. The price touched 51½, but on profit taking declined to 50¾. Various rumors have been started with reference to dividends, but they lack verification.

Swift & Co. was moderately active, the price hanging around 130. The present price is considered by insiders as a reasonably high one until there shall be further developments.

Sales on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	3,055	11½	11¼	11¼
Do pfd	600	51½	49⅞	50¾
American Shipbuilding	50	32	32	32
A. Booth pfd	10	108	108	108
Chi. City Railway	10	208	208	208
Chi. Pneumatic Tool	40	77	77	77
Diamond Match	7	137¼	137¼	137¼
Lake St. Elevated	930	8⅜	7⅝	8⅜
Met. Elevated	10	39¼	39¼	39¼
Do pfd	130	89¼	89	89¼
Nat. Biscuit	275	45⅜	45⅛	45⅜
Do pfd	250	104¾	104½	104¾
Northwestern Elevated	50	32	32	32
Quaker Oats pfd	6	92	92	92
South Side Elevated	50	108	108	108
Street's Stable Car	100	32	32	32
Swift & Co	352	130⅛	130	130
United Boxboard	1,050	9⅝	9	9¼
Do pfd	92	55½	55½	55½

BONDS.

$6000 Met L 4s....100½	$3000 Ogden Gas 5s. 90¼
4000 do 100¼	5000 do 91
1000 N. W. L. 4s.... 94½	5000 do 91½
2000 Ogden Gas 5s. 90¾	3000 do 90

Clearings at the larger cities yesterday and a week ago were:

	Jan. 6.	Dec. 30.
New York	$389,526,254	$269,615,056
Chicago	30,855,258	24,757,953
Boston	27,416,591	21,197,558
Philadelphia	24,191,438	20,428,520
St. Louis	9,839,715	7,737,060
Baltimore	5,147,480	4,368,255

New York exchange sold yesterday as follows: Chicago, 10c premium before clearings, 20c premium after. St. Louis, 50c premium.

IN FOREIGN MONEY MARKETS.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, and Other Securities at London, Paris, and Berlin.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Rates for money and discounts were easy today and the indebtedness to the Bank of England was easily liquidated. In some departments business was fairly active and in others there was a hopeful undertone. Prices were firm. Consols benefited by the ease of money investment support. Home rails were cheerful, but irregular. Americans opened a trifle above parity, quiet, and with a strong undertone. Closing quotations:

Consols for act	93⅝	Norfolk & Western	74½
Atchison	87½	Do pfd	94
Do pfd	104	Ontario & Western	34¼
Baltimore & Ohio	104½	Pennsylvania	80
Canadian Pacific	138⅞	Rand Mines	11⅝
Ches. & Ohio	51¾	Reading	35
Chi. Great Western	29⅝	Do 1st pfd	45
C., M. & St. P.	185	Do 2d pfd	40½
De Beers	22⅝	Southern Railway	36⅝
Den. & Rio Grande	43⅝	Do pfd	97¾
Do pfd	93	Southern Pacific	68
Erie	39⅞	Union Pacific	105
Do 1st pfd	70½	Do pfd	96¼
Do 2d pfd	52½	United States Steel	39⅜
Illinois Central	152	Do pfd	91⅝
Louis. & Nash	132	Wabash	31½
M., K. & T.	30⅝	Do pfd	46⅝
New York Central	157½		

Bar silver dull; 22 5-6d per oz. Money 2@2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3¼@3¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3¼@3⅜ per cent.

REPORT ON FOREIGN CROPS.

Russia Has Fine Harvest and Railroads Are Taxed to Handle It—In Other Lands.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6.—The report on foreign crops and crop conditions compiled by the statistical agent of the United States department of agriculture at London, up to Dec. 10 last, says that Russia, as a whole, harvested fine crops last year. The exports of grain, which have been heavy, must diminish, although the stocks of wheat in Black sea ports at a recent date were almost twice as large as at the corresponding date in 1901. The Russian railways have been overtaxed in moving the heavy crops of cereals.

In Roumania the maize harvest yielded a crop variously estimated from 41,000,000 bu by Broomhall's corn trade news to 104,641,000 bu by the German consul at Jassy.

The French vintage of 1902 has been estimated at about one-third less than the vintage of 1901.

The Danish crops of 1902 are a good average.

In Great Britain the earlier grain sowings have made a thrifty growth. The area put under wheat last autumn is smaller than a year ago. Favorable weather conditions are officially reported from India. The deficiency in the New South Wales wheat crop has been estimated as at least 11,000,000 bu, while official advices from south Australia say that harvest prospects are considerably improved.

BULLS ACTIVE IN MARKET

WALL STREET SPECULATION EXPANDS AND PRICES RISE.

Over 1,000,000 Shares Dealt In During Day and All but 30 of the 170 Issues Show Advances — Manipulative Forces Still Working Hard to Force Up List — Money and Foreign Exchange Easy—British Confidence in American Situation Restored.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—There was a further expansion of stock speculation on the bull side today. Transactions exceeded a million shares, and in spite of many sales for realizing profits prices made remarkable gains, closing generally at the top figures for the day. Only about 30 of the 170 issues traded in closed with net declines. There was especially heavy trading in Union Pacific, Rock Island, St. Paul, Missouri Pacific, Southern Pacific, Amalgamated Copper, and Erie. All the leading stocks made gains, and the market was the best that has been seen since the squeeze in money began last fall. Manipulative forces are still at work.

Money was easier, and at no time during the day was the rate for call loans above 6 per cent. There was also some further relaxation in the rates for time money. Sterling exchange is easy. The break in cotton is to the advantage of the situation. There is also an increased movement of grain. Wall street is beginning to note the change in British sentiment toward the American situation, which is due to the admirable way in which this country has worked itself out of its tight money complication.

The defeat of the Heinze interests in their efforts to control the Montana legislature influenced some of the buying of Amalgamated Copper at the opening. The quarterly meeting of the directors declared a dividend of 1 per cent on the common stock of American Car and Foundry.

What was regarded as one of the most encouraging developments of the day was the pronounced strength in St. Paul. The buying was pronounced to be much better than the selling, with the indications that a leading western operator who had sold a considerable line of the stock last week had lost it. The talk continues that early action on the new stock issued with attendant rights is to be taken.

Interests connected with the property declared that the advance in the Rock Island securities was due, not only to short covering, but also to investment demand by leading banking interests. The rise today served to remind the street that some weeks ago two important banking houses caused to be made an expert statistical analysis of Rock Island's position and earnings, with the result that it was disclosed that present earnings show something like 15 per cent on the common stock.

The declines in the Wabash shares were ascribed to some speculative selling as a result of the court decision temporarily preventing the company from entering Pittsburg. Inside buying was reported on the decline.

In the industrial group the steel trust stocks continued among the leaders. There was today as a fresh bull argument on the shares the excellent showing made by the company in its last quarter, earnings showing an increase of approximately $1,500,000 over the corresponding quarter last year, while orders on hand run up to nearly 1,000,000 tons more than at this time a year ago.

All the Pacific stocks were strong and active, with Southern and Union the leaders. London was again a buyer of Great Western; a few nervous shorts ran up New York Central; further profit taking appeared in the hard coalers under cover of the strength of the soft coal shares, while investment buying was responsible for the gains in General Electric, Westinghouse, and Consolidated Gas.

IN NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Railroad Stocks, and Other Securities in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The advance in the stock market continued today in a rather irregular way for a time, but with a burst of animation and buoyancy in the late dealings. The call money rate was at no time higher than 6 per cent and fell below that figure quite normally, and late in the day got as low as 4 per cent, but with the day's demand then mostly satisfied.

The personality of the money lenders, under whose offerings the current rate has broken down, was accepted as evidence that the so-called large interests have ceased to oppose the efforts to advance prices of stocks. Add to these general considerations a number of gratifying reports of weekly gross earnings by railroads, a large growth in the corn movement, large earnings in the electrical industry, and it will be seen that there was a good basis for bullish speculators to operate on.

The active dealings in stocks detracted attention from the bond market, but prices there were generally firm. Total sales, par value $13,490,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5¾@6 per cent. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486.50@486.55 for demand and at 483.40@483.45 for 60 days. Posted rates, 484½ and 487½. Commercial bills, 483@483¼. Bar silver, 48⅝c. Mexican dollars, 38¼c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing— Jn. 6.	Jn. 5.
Amn. Sugar	20,300	130⅝	129¼	129¾	129
Do pfd	100	120	120	120	....
Amn. Locomotive	12,500	30⅞	29⅜	30½	29⅜
Do pfd	400	94⅝	94½	94½	94½
Amn. Cotton Oil	500	45⅛	44⅝	45⅛	45¼
Amn. Smelting	1,800	43⅝	43	43⅜	43
Do pfd	200	94	94	94	93
Allis-Chalmers	100	19	19	19	....
Amn. Agl. Chem.	100	22	22	22	....
Amn. Bicycle	300	¼	¼	¼	¼
Do pfd	100	1	1	1	1
Amn. Hide & L.	1,800	10⅝	10¼	10⅜	10⅝
Do pfd	400	37⅞	37	37⅞	37
Amn. Linseed	400	19½	19¼	19⅜	19
Do pfd	700	48½	46	48⅛	44
Amn. Malting	400	5	4⅞	4⅞	5
Amn. Car Fdry	29,600	39¼	38⅝	38⅞	38
Do pfd	600	93	92⅝	93	92⅞
Amn. Ice	700	11⅛	10⅞	11	10⅞
Do pfd	100	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞
Amn. Woolen	200	16	13	13	....
Do pfd	100	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛	....
Atchison	44,900	86⅝	85	86⅜	84⅝
Do pfd	2,100	102	101⅜	102	101⅝
Anaconda	1,100	101¾	100	101¾	100
Amal. Copper	44,600	66⅝	65¼	66	65⅜
Amn. Grass Twine	500	29	28⅜	29	28⅜
Bkln. Rap. Tran.	34,700	69⅞	67⅞	69⅝	66⅞
Balto. & Ohio	22,600	102⅞	101⅝	102⅝	101⅝
Do pfd	300	94⅞	94⅞	94⅞	94
Corn Products	1,800	31	30⅝	31	30⅝
Do pfd	200	82½	82⅜	82½	82⅜
Chi. & Alton	4,600	37⅜	36⅝	36⅞	36⅝
Do pfd	800	73	72⅜	73	72⅞
C. M. & St. P.	75,100	182⅝	179⅞	182⅝	179⅝
C. & N. W.	900	223	220¼	223	220¼
C. R. I. & P.	82,800	52⅛	49⅞	52⅛	49⅞
Do pfd	800	85⅜	83⅞	85⅜	84
Chi. Terminal	1,600	19¼	18⅞	19	18⅞
Do pfd	3,600	35⅝	35	35½	35
Ches. & Ohio	16,900	50⅞	49⅛	50⅜	49⅛
C. R. R. of N. J.	200	180½	180	180	....
Can. Pacific	22,300	137⅝	134⅝	137¼	133⅞
C. C. C. & St. L.	1,300	99⅞	97½	99⅞	97½
Con. Tob. pfd	100	118½	118½	118½	118⅜
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	8,700	221	218⅝	220⅞	217⅝
Colo. & Southern	3,000	31	30⅜	31	30⅜
Do 1st pfd	100	71¼	71¼	71¼	71
Do 2d pfd	100	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅛
Chi. Un. Trac.	200	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Colo. Fuel & I.	1,100	82⅝	81⅝	81⅞	82
C. & H. C. & I.	600	19⅞	19⅝	19⅞	19⅞
Chi. Gt. Western	26,700	29⅛	28⅝	29	29⅛
Do pfd B	500	43	42	43½	41⅞
C. L. & N.	100	95	95	95	99
Det. So.	1,400	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛
Do pfd	700	38⅜	37⅞	38	38⅝
D. L. & W.	700	265	263½	265	264
Del. & Hudson	1,500	173½	173	173½	174
Den. & Rio Gr.	2,600	42⅝	41⅞	42⅝	41⅝
Do pfd	8,000	90⅞	90	90⅞	89⅞
D. M. & Ft. Dodge	200	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝	45
Do pfd	400	34⅞	33⅞	34⅞	34
D. S. S. & A.	1,100	19	18	18⅞	18
Do pfd	100	28⅞	27⅞	28	27
Det. Un. Ry.	100	90	89	90	89⅞
Erie	35,000	39⅞	38⅜	39⅝	38⅞
Do 1st pfd	2,900	68⅞	68⅜	68⅞	68⅜
Do 2d pfd	3,900	52⅝	51⅞	52⅝	51⅞
E. & T. H.	1,100	67	66⅝	67	67
Ft. W. & D. C.	100	63	63	63	63½
Gen. Electric	2,000	189⅞	185⅞	189	185
Gen. Chem. pfd	100	101	101	101	....
Gt. North. pfd	100	201	201	201	201¼
Hocking Valley	1,600	99⅞	98⅛	99⅞	99
Do pfd	100	96⅞	95⅞	96⅞	95⅞
Ill. Central	9,600	149½	147⅝	149½	147½
Iowa Central	1,300	43⅜	41⅝	43	41⅝
Do pfd	300	75	73⅝	74	73⅝
Int. Paper	100	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Do pfd	100	72⅜	72	72	73
K.C.Ft.S-M. pfd	200	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝	80
Kan. & Mich.	100	47¼	47	47	47
Kan. City & So.	1,500	35	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
Do pfd	500	58	57⅝	57⅞	57⅝
K. & D. M.	200	35	35	35	34⅞
Louisv. & Nash	6,300	129⅜	128⅛	129⅛	127⅞
Long Island	1,100	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞
L. E. & W.	100	51	51	51	51⅛
Met. Securities	4,000	128⅝	128	128⅝	127⅝
M.St.P.-S.S.M. pd	100	126	126	126	125
Manhattan	12,600	150⅛	149⅝	149⅝	149⅜
M. K. & T.	6,900	30	29⅝	29⅞	29⅝
Do pfd	1,000	61⅞	61	61⅞	61
Met. St. Ry.	3,900	142⅞	141⅝	142⅞	141⅝
Mex. Cent. [Ltd.]	3,600	26⅛	26	26⅜	26¼
Missouri Pac.	53,700	110⅞	109	110⅝	109
Minn. & St. L.	400	108⅝	108½	108⅝	109
Nat. Biscuit	500	45⅞	45⅝	45⅞	45⅝
Nat. R. R. of Mex.	10,800	20⅜	19⅞	20⅜	19⅞
Do pfd	1,200	39⅝	38⅝	39	38⅝
Nat. Lead	2,300	28⅝	28	28⅝	28⅛
N. Y. Central	11,500	153⅞	152⅝	153⅞	152
Norfolk & W.	14,600	76	75	75⅞	74⅞
Do pfd	400	92	92	92	....
North Amn. Co.	300	119	119	119	118
N. Y. Ont. & W.	6,500	33⅛	32⅝	33	32⅝
N. Y. Air Brake	100	171	171	171	170⅛
N. Y. C. & St. L.	1,000	44⅝	43⅞	44⅝	44
Do 2d pfd	300	85⅞	85⅝	85⅝	86
N. Y. N. H. & H.	100	229	229	229	....
People's Gas	4,500	104⅛	103⅜	104⅛	103½
Penna. R. R.	42,100	157⅝	155⅞	157	155⅞
Pacific Mail	700	41⅞	40⅞	41⅞	40⅞
Pr. Steel Car	4,400	64⅝	63⅞	64⅝	63⅞
Do pfd	1,300	94⅝	93⅞	94⅝	93⅞
P. C. C. & St. L.	400	93	90	93	....
Pacific Coast	500	70½	70	70½	70
Quicksilver pfd	100	8	8	8	....
Reading	49,100	69⅛	67⅞	68⅞	68⅜
Do 1st pfd	800	88⅞	88⅞	88⅞	....
Do 2d pfd	1,400	81	79⅞	80	79⅞
Rubber Goods	1,900	23	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
Do pfd	1,600	76⅛	76	76	74
Rep. Iron & Steel	2,800	20⅞	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝
Do pfd	1,200	78⅝	78	78⅝	77⅞
Ry. Steel Spring	1,200	34⅞	34	34	34⅛
Southern Ry	25,800	36⅝	35⅞	36⅝	35⅝
Do pfd	300	95	94⅞	95	95
St.J.-G.I. 1st pfd	400	57⅞	55	56	58
Do 2d pfd	800	24⅞	24	24⅞	24⅛
Southern Pac	6,900	67⅝	66	67⅝	65⅝
St. L. S. W.	1,000	29⅛	29	29⅛	28⅜
Do pfd	2,200	65	63	65	64⅛
St. L. & S. F.	2,500	73⅜	72	73⅜	73⅛
Do 2d pfd	1,300	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝
S. R. & T.	500	5⅛	5	5⅛	5⅛
S. S. S. & I.	300	62⅜	62	62⅜	62
Tol. St. L. & W.	2,200	29⅞	29	29⅞	29⅝
Do pfd	2,200	47⅞	46⅛	47⅞	46⅛
Texas Pacific	11,600	42⅛	41⅜	42	41⅝
Twin City	600	119⅞	119⅝	119⅞	119⅞
Third Ave	200	127⅜	127⅜	127⅜	127⅜
Tenn. Coal & I.	8,900	65	64⅛	64⅝	64
U. S. Realty	5,200	27⅜	27	27⅛	27⅜
Do pfd	1,000	72⅝	72⅛	72⅛	72⅝
Tol. Ry. & Light	300	35⅞	34⅞	35⅞	34⅞
Un. Ry. Inv. Co.	300	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Do pfd	100	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝	64
Union Pacific	100,900	103⅝	101⅝	103	101⅜
Do pfd	900	94	93⅝	94	93⅝
Un. Bag & Paper	200	13⅛	13	13⅛	13⅛
U. S. C. I. Pipe	200	14	14	14	13⅛
U. S. Leather	2,000	13	12⅞	13	13⅛
Do pfd	600	89⅞	89⅛	89⅞	89⅛
U. S. Steel	35,400	38⅞	37⅝	38⅞	38
Do pfd	19,500	89⅛	88⅝	89	88⅜
U. S. Express	100	145	145	145	....
Vul. Drug	300	33⅝	33	33⅝	32⅝
Va. Caro. Chem	400	64⅛	63⅞	64⅛	64
Wheeling & L. E.	1,200	26⅝	25⅝	26	25⅝
Do 1st pfd	200	58	58	58	....
Wabash	3,200	30⅞	30	30⅞	31
Do pfd	5,200	45⅞	44⅝	45⅞	45⅛
Wis. Cent.	1,600	27⅞	27⅜	27⅞	27⅛
Do pfd	2,600	54	53⅝	53⅝	53⅞
Western Union	2,600	90	88⅜	90	88⅞
Westinghouse	1,400	218	216	218	218
Do pfd	400	222	220	222	214

Total sales of stocks, 1,278,900 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	200	United States	140
American	230	Fargo	230

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg	108½	U. S. new 4s, coup	135⅝
U. S. ref. 2s, coup	108½	U. S. old 4s, reg	109½
U. S. 3s, reg	106⅝	U. S. old 4s, coup	109½
U. S. 3s, coup	106⅝	U. S. 5s, reg	103⅝
U. S. new 4s, reg	135½	U. S. 5s, coup	103⅝

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS —10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

35000 Atch gen 4s....102⅝@½	5000 do 5s....115
5000 Am Dock 4s.... 94	10000 M K-T 4s.... 98
1000 Am H-L 6s.... 95	5000 do 2d.... 84¼
4000 Am Bicycle 5s....41@42½	4000 M K-E 1st....110
28000 B-O 3½s.... 94	7000 Mo P 5s 1917....105⅝@106
6000 do stamped.... 94	55000 do 5s 1970....104⅝@105
16000 do 4s....102	4000 Man con 4s....104⅝
10000 do P L E W V 4s.... 96⅞	7000 Met St Ry 5s.119
9000 do S W 3½s.88½@¾	2000 Mex Cent 4s.. 76
9000 Bklyn El 4s....103⅞@104	62000 do 1st inc....27@¼
5000 Bklyn ferry 5s 76	20000 do 2d inc....18⅛@⅞
2000 Can So 1st....103⅝@104	4000 N Y G-E 4s95⅛@96
19000 Cent Ga con 5s....106⅞@107	4000 N-W con 5s.100@⅛
1000 do 1st inc.... 76½	2000 do Pocohontas 5s.... 92
20000 do 2d inc.... 37⅝	74000 N Pac 3s....72⅛@⅜
1000 do 3d inc.... 12⅝	63000 do 4s....103⅞@104
96000 C B-Q joint4s94⅞@95	5000 N Y C L S 3½s 94⅜
1000 do con.... 101	5000 do M C 3½s.. 92
11000 do Ill div 3½s....96⅛@¼	1000 N Y O-W ref 4s....103@⅞
6000 C R I-P gen 4s 107	3000 N Y C-St L 4s104⅞
213000 do 4s....87⅛@88	4000 N Y C Ex 4s 100⅞
629000 Con Tob 4s67⅛@⅝	1000 N Y S-W 4½s.103
30000 Colo-So 4s.... 88⅛	4000 O R-N 4s.101⅛@¼
6000 C F I conv.... 96	91000 O S L 4s....96⅛@⅝
5000 Colo Mid 4s.... 81	1000 do 5s....114
1000 C Pac 3½s.... 88	1000 do 6s....126
25000 do 4s....101⅛@¼	101000 Pa con106⅞@107
5000 C-O 4½s....104⅛@¾	28000 P-E inc....78@79½
5000 do 5s....118⅜	49000 Rdg gen 4s95⅜@96
1000 C M-St P 4s..111⅛	5000 R W-O con 5s.121⅛
1000 do So Minn 6s.112⅞	49000 Rdg Jersey 4s 93⅛
1000 C-A 3½s.78⅛@79	3000 St L-I M 5s.116
16000 do 3s.... 82⅞	19000 St L S W con 4s....84⅞@85
5000 C St P-M 1st.134⅞	6000 do 2d....84⅜@85⅛
10000 Chic Terml 4s. 88	2000 St L-S F g m 6s....127⅛
11000 D-R G con 4s. 99	14000 S C-Ga 1st....106
5000 Det City Gas 5s.... 97	8000 S A-A P 4s.... 85⅝
9000 D M-L G 5s....88@89	4000 Seaboard A L 4s.... 84
15000 Dst So 4s.... 85	18000 So P 4s..91⅝@92
3000 do Ohio So 4s. 91	5000 S R T 6s.... 87
16000 Erie gen lien....85⅛@⅝	39000 do inc....12@⅛
2000 do con 4s.... 98	4000 So Ry 5s....117
14000 Erie Pa 4s92⅞@93	5000 do Mem div 4s 94⅛
2000 Equit Gas Chi 1st....102	12000 T St L-W 4s.77@⅝
2000 Ga Pac 1st 6s.122⅝	15000 do 3½s.... 83⅝
16000 G B-W B....27@½	16000 Third Ave 4s....97½@98
5000 H V 4s.... 105⅞	3000 Tex P 1st 5s..117
2000 I-Gt N 2d.... 98	77000 U P 4s.102⅛@103
71000 K C So 3s..69⅞@⅝	524000 do conv 4s.106@⅝
12000 K C Ft S-M 4s....87⅝@88	2000 Va Md Ser B.112⅛
1000 L I unf 4s.... 100	3000 do "E" 5s....115
1000 do g m 4s.... 101½	12000 Wab 1st 5s....116⅞@117
3000 L S-M S 3½s.105½	299000 do deb B.76½@77
3000 do reg.... 103	1000 do 2d 5s....109
6000 Laclede Gas 5s.... 108¼	3000 do Omaha 3½s....84⅛@85
1000 L-N coll tr 5s....113¼	16000 Wis C 4s..91¼@⅝

Total sales of bonds, $3,445,000.

DECREASED TRADE IN POULTRY.

Demand Falls Off, but Prices Are Unchanged—Better Feeling in Butter—Eggs Hold Firm.

Both receipts and demand for poultry fell off yesterday, not sufficient in either to affect quotations. Offerings were, as a rule, small, but the holiday trade seems to have put a quiet tone into the market that has not since been revived. In butter a firmer feeling was developed for strictly high grade creameries, while other descriptions were quotably unchanged. There was nothing new in connection with the egg market, general conditions remaining unchanged. In live poultry there were both moderate receipts and demands, with no change in prices. Potatoes came in large quantities as compared with last week, but prices did not break, as expected in some quarters. Vegetables did not seem to be of the quality to meet the demands of buyers, and trade was in consequence light.

Quotations on round lots follow:

DAIRY PRODUCTS.			
Eggs, misc., at mark cases included	21@23½c	Do brick	10@11c
Do at mark, cases returned	20½@23c	Do twins	13c
Do loss off, cases returned	25c	Butter, creamery, extras	31c
Do country storage, packed	22@24½c	Firsts	22@24½c
Cheese, Y. A.	13½c	Seconds	18@20c
Cheese, fancy		Dairys, Cooley's	25c
		Do firsts	22c
		Packing stock	16@16½c
POULTRY AND GAME.			
Live old chickens	12c	Do small, mixed	$1.75@2.25
Dressed springs	12@12½c	Snipe, jack	$1.50
Live turkeys	12@13c	Do sand	25@30c
Do geese, doz	$6.00@9.00	Do grass and yellow legs	$1.50
Fresh dressed turkeys	17c	Woodcock, doz	$6.00
Iced turkeys	13@16c	Squabs, dressed, doz	$1.00@2.00
Do chickens	7½@11c	Rabbits, per doz	$1.00@1.20
Do spring chickens	10@11½c	Do jacks	$2.00@2.75
Do ducks	12@14c	Bear saddles	12½@13c
Ducks, mallard, doz	$4.00@4.50		
Ducks, bluewing	$3.00		
FRUITS.			
Oranges, Cal., navels	$3.00@4.00	Winter Nellis	$2.00@2.50
Apples, brls	$1.25@4.00	Bananas, bch	$1.00@1.50
Lemons, Cal., boxes, 300	$3.50@3.75	New York Concords	20@21c
Pears, good to choice, per brl	$1.00@2.00	Tokays	$1.50@2.00
		Cranberries, Cape Cod	$8.00
HONEY.			
White clover, lb	16@17c	Amber, light	13@14c
Buckwheat	10@13c	Beeswax, lb	23@29c
FISH AND SEA FOODS.			
Black bass	15c	Perch	3@4c
Carp	1c	Pike	5@6c
Oysters, standard, bulk, gal	$1.20	Lobsters, live	22c
		Do boiled	25c
VEAL.			
50@60 lbs	5@5½c	95@100 lbs	8½@9c
65@75 lbs	5½@6½c	150@200 lbs	5@5½c
80@125 lbs	7@8c	180@225 lbs	4@5c
VEGETABLES.			
Beets, 1½ bu sacks	50c	Onions, seed, per ton	$7.50@8.50
Beans, navy, hand picked	$2.30@2.40	Cauliflower, cases	$1.00@2.00
Medium	$2.18@2.32	Lettuce, head, tubs	35@75c
Celery, Mich., cases	40@50c	Potatoes, on track, per bu	38@48c
Squashes, Hubbard, per ton	$30.00@35.00	Sweet potatoes, Ill., brls	$2.65@2.75
Cabbage, Holland			
HIDES AND PELTS.			
Heavy green, salted	7¾c	Green salted, calf	9½c
Damaged do	6¾c	Dry do	15c
Part cured, No. 1	7c	Deacons, each	45@50c
BROOMCORN.			
Self-working, fair to good, ton	$50.00@60.00	Choice	$70.00@80.00
		Choice g'n	$80.00@90.00
WOOL.			
Tub washed	21@26c	Montana, med'm	14@16c
Medium washed	16@18c	Ungraded, unwashed	11@13c
Coarse unwashed	15@16c		
FEATHERS.			
Prime live geese, white	53@55c	Do picked	18@19c
Mixed	41@42c	Chicken and turkey, mixed	3½c
White chicken, dry		Turkey tail	20@21c

The following table shows the receipts and shipments of country produce for the last 24 hours, as compared with the same time last year:

	Receipts— 1903.	1902.	Shipments— 1903.	1902.
Apples, brls	795	140	489	502
Beans, bu	....	1,221	....	1,591
Broomcorn, lbs	104,000	65,100	64,600	66,000
Butter, lbs	674,700	1,002,776	871,272	906,323
Cheese, lbs	124,530	256,743	171,170	169,911
Dried fruits, lbs	190,500	341,818	32,500	190,400
Eggs, pkgs	3,267	3,618	3,571	6,129
Game, pkgs	35	29	....	....
Hay, tons	594	776	11	80
Hides, lbs	445,950	462,887	520,000	968,518
Hops, lbs	....	14,917	....	....
Potatoes, bu	41,397	14,411	24,488	1,924
Poultry, lbs	242,341	212,545	47,142	111,518
Poultry, coops	104	115	90	200
Wool, lbs	42,100	223,825	208,567	228,288

RANGE OF PRODUCE PRICES

QUOTATIONS ON GRAIN AND STAPLES AT LEADING EXCHANGES.

Record of the Day's Trading in Principal Commodities from the Eastern Seaboard to the Western Markets—Tendency of Cotton in the East and South — Receipts and Shipments of Wheat, Corn, and Oats at Milling Points.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Flour—Receipts, 33,910 brls; exports, 10,720 brls. Dull and about steady.

Wheat—Receipts, 152,000 bu; exports, 32,058 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2 red, 79½c elevator; No. 2 red, 79c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 86c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 86⅝c f. o. b. afloat. Option market closed steady at ⅛c net advance. May, 79 9-16@79¾c, closed 79⅝c; July, 77 5-16@77⅝c, closed 77⅝c.

Corn—Receipts, 48,000 bu. Spot, firmer; No. 2, 58c elevator and 56½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 57½c; No. 2 white, 57½c. Option market showed 2c net advance on January and ⅝c rise elsewhere; January, 55½@56¾c, closed 56⅜c; February, closed 53c; March, 51¼@52⅝c, closed 52⅝c; May, 48¼@48⅝c, closed, 48⅝c; July, 47⅛@47⅝c, closed 47⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 120,000 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2, 38½c; standard, white, 40⅝c; No. 3, 37½c; No. 2 white, 41c; No. 3 white, 40½c; track mixed, western, nominal; track white, 40@44c. Options quiet, but firmer with corn. May closed 39c.

Provisions—Beef — Steady. Cut meats — Quiet; pickled bellies, 8½@10c; pickled shoulders, 8¾c; pickled hams, 11@11¼c.

Sugar—Raw, steady. Refined, unsettled.

Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 8.90c; middling gulf, 9.15c. Sales, 8,000 bales. Futures closed firm. January, 8.56c; February, 8.61c; March, 8.67c; April, 8.66c; May, 8.67c; June, 8.67c; July, 8.67c; August, 8.55c; September, 8.28c.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 6.—Flour—Dull. Red winter patents, $3.30@3.50; extra fancy and straight, $3.05@3.30; clear, $2.90@3.00. Wheat—Weak. No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 71¾c; track, 73½@75c; May, 74⅝@74¾c; July, 70⅝c; No. 2 hard, 66@68c. Corn—Higher. No. 2, cash, 40@40½c; track, 40@40⅝c; May, 40⅛c. Oats—Strong. No. 2, cash, 33½c; track, 34½c; May, 34⅛c; No. 2 white, 36c. Lead—Steady; $3.97½. Spelter—Steady; $4.45. Provisions—Dry salt meats—Dull, heavy; boxed extra shorts, $8.75; clear ribs, $8.62½; short clears, $9.12½. Bacon—Dull, heavy. Boxed extra shorts, $10.00; clear ribs, $10.00; short clear, $10.50.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 6.—Close: Wheat—May, 68⅛@68½c; July, 66⅝@66½c; cash, No. 2 hard, 67@68c; No. 3, 64@66c; No. 4, 54½@61c; rejected, 53@56c; No. 2 red, 67@67½c; No. 3, 65½@66c. Corn—January, 34@34½c; May, 37@37⅛c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 38c; No. 2 white, 38¾@39c; No. 3, 38¼@38½c. Oats—No. 2 white, 35c; No. 2 mixed, 33½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 6.—Wheat—May sold at 74½c at the opening, fell to 73⅝c on the first selling, and sold back to 74c. The close was easy at 74c for May; July, 74⅝c; January, 73c. Flour—First patents, $3.85@3.95; second patents, $3.70@3.80; first clears, $2.80@2.90; second clears, $2.30@2.40.

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 6.—Close: Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 73½c; No. 1 northern, 72½c; No. 2 northern, 70½c; No. 3 spring, 67½c. To arrive: No. 1 hard, 73½c; No. 1 northern, 72½c; May, 75c. Oats—May, 33¾c; to arrive and on track, 32c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 6.—Flour dull. Wheat—Firm. Close: No. 1 northern, 76@76½c; No. 2 northern, 74½@75c; May, 75⅝c. Puts, 75¼c; calls, 75½@75⅝c.

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 6.—Corn—Firm. No. 3, 39½c. Oats—Firmer. No. 3 white, 32½c. Whisky—On the basis of $1.31 for finished goods.

IN THE NEW YORK MARKETS.

Current and Closing Quotations on Dry Goods, Coffee, Poultry, Butter, and Metals.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The dry goods market was quiet today on home trade account, and quieter than of late in the export division. Stocks in first hands are in good shape and prices are maintained. There is a fair demand for print cloths, but the market is so well sold that orders are difficult to place.

Range of Coffee Prices.

Coffee—Opened steady at unchanged prices, in the face of early news that was on its face of a distinctly bearish nature. Havre followed up the decline of Monday with another loss of ½ franc. Hamburg and Rio were unchanged, but Santos was 100 reis lower, and the receipts continued full. But in the local market there were few sellers, while sellers at last week's prices showed a disposition to accept profits. This tendency was encouraged as the session progressed by a partial recovery in Havre, leaving that market net unchanged to ¼ franc lower, and this also brought out some buying on the reaction theory, with the result that the markets finished steady at a partial advance of 5 points. Sales were about 29,000 bags. The spot market was quiet, with quotations on the basis of 4⅝c for Rio No. 7.

Poultry, Alive or Dressed.

Alive—Fowls, selected, heavy, 13c; do poor to medium, 12c; roosters, young, 10c; do old, 8½c; turkeys, 14@15c; ducks, western, average, per pair, 80c@$1.00; geese, western, average, $1.50@1.62. Dressed—Dry packed: Turkeys, selected, young hens, 19c; young toms, 18c; mixed, young hens and toms, fancy, 18c; fair to prime, 15@17c; do old, 15½@16c; do common to fair, 13@14c; chickens, western, fancy, 13c; do fair to good, 11@12c; chickens and fowls, mixed, fancy, 12½@13c; do fair to good, 11@12c; fowls, western, scalded, fancy, 12½c; do dry picked, fancy, 12½c; do western, fair to good, 11@12c.

Butter of All Grades.

Creamery, extras, per lb, 29c; do firsts, 26½@28½c; do seconds, 24@26c; do held, extras, 26½c; do firsts, 24½@26c; state dairy, tubs, finest, 26@26½c; do firsts, 24@25c; do seconds, 22@23c; western imitation creamery, finest, 22c; do fair to prime, 19@21c; renovated, extras, 22½c; do common to prime, 16½@21c; western factory, fresh, small tubs, fancy, 21c; do choice, 19@20c; do seconds, 17½@18c; do lower grades, 16½@17c; do held, finest, 18@18½c; packing stock, 16½@18c; rolls, fresh, choice, 19@20c; do common to prime, 17@18½c.

In the Metal Markets.

The London tin market again displayed considerable strength and activity, gaining about £3. The local market was 50 points higher but dull. Spot closed at 27.75@28.12½c. Copper in London declined 16s 3d. The local market continued dull and unchanged at 1.37½c for standard, 12.20@12.40c for lake, and 12.10@12.30c for electrolytic and casting. Lead was quiet and unchanged here at 4⅛c, but advanced 1s 3d in London. Spelter was unchanged at London, while the local market was firmer at 4.70c. Iron closed at 53s 7d in Glasgow and at 46s 10½d Middlesboro. Locally iron was quiet and unchanged.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Movement of Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, and Lambs, with the Range of Prices.

Receipts were comparatively light. The week's receipts so far compared with last week showed a decrease of 2,000 cattle, 18,000 hogs, and 500 sheep. As compared with a year ago there was a decrease of 5,500 cattle, 33,000 hogs, and 4,000 sheep. The cattle market was steady all along the line with a good tone to the trade. Best cattle here $5.55, there being nothing prime. Hogs sold at strong to 5c higher prices, closing weak on all but heavy. Top hogs, $6.70. Heavy sheep declined 25c. Lambs about steady.

Estimated receipts for Wednesday about 18,000 cattle, 48,000 hogs, and 20,000 sheep.

The Daily Live Stock World's British cable quotes prices for American cattle fully steady with a strong tone to the trade. Average cargoes making about 13½c, the same as last week and ½c higher than a year ago. Best American cattle on the hoof at London sold at 14c a pound, on the basis of the estimated dressed weight. American sheep sold at stronger prices, average cargoes making 14c to 15c, with Canadian lambs selling at 15½c to 17¾c. A year ago light wethers were selling at an average of 13c, with heavy ewes from the States going at 11c.

The following is a statement of the movement of live stock at the Chicago stockyards for the period indicated with comparative figures:

	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Receipts—				
Monday, Jan. 5	25,461	612	42,170	30,816
Tuesday, Jan. 6	4,500	700	28,000	16,000
This week	29,961	1,312	70,170	46,816
Last week	31,734	1,286	88,007	47,374
Cor. week 1902	35,445	1,750	106,325	50,822
Official last week	55,271	2,158	202,172	82,373
Official 1902	48,808	2,582	234,882	74,776
Shipments—				
Week ago	1,013	...	2,508	1,393
Monday	6,369	59	3,652	2,056
Yesterday	2,000	100	2,000	2,000
This week	8,369	159	5,652	4,056
Last week	6,564	130	3,145	4,393
Cor. week 1902	7,032	86	7,810	6,751
Official last week	18,443	527	20,209	8,127
Official year ago	11,888	543	18,855	7,369

Receipts at Chicago stockyards for the year to date, with comparative figures:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.	Cars.
1903	38,982	134,158	60,847	1,650	4,115
1902	53,222	197,870	59,906	1,541	5,567
Inc	....	....	941	109	....
Dec	14,240	63,712	....	....	1,452

YESTERDAY'S HOG PURCHASES.

Armour	8,000	Linton	1,200
Anglo-Am	2,500	S. & S.	1,450
Boyd & L	1,500	Butchers	1,500
Continental	1,150	Shippers	3,000
Hammond	1,500		
Morris	1,800	Total	28,600
Swift	5,000	Left	8,000

Cattle.

Fat cattle ruled firm, with the best here at $5.55 and nothing to compare with the choice cattle sold on Monday at $6.25. Cows, heifers, bulls, and feeding cattle sold readily at generally steady prices. The calf market was about steady, but closed weaker. Texas fed cattle ruled firm at $4.25 to $4.75 for the stock offered. Closing quotations:

Prime beeves, 1,250 lbs and up	$6.10@6.40
Good to choice, 1,250 lbs and up	5.65@6.00
Medium to good, 1,250 lbs and up	5.00@5.50
Good to prime steers, 900@1,250 lbs	5.00@6.00
Medium to good, 900@1,250 lbs	4.25@4.90
Poor to medium, 900@1,250 lbs	3.00@4.00
Medium to choice feeders	3.50@4.50
Medium to choice stockers	3.25@4.00
Inferior to medium stockers	2.25@3.00
Medium to choice heifers	3.60@5.30
Inferior to medium heifers	2.15@3.15
Medium to choice cows	2.80@4.50
Cutters	2.50@2.90
Canners	1.40@2.40
Good to choice bulls	3.50@4.30
Bologna bulls	2.75@3.00
Stock bulls	2.25@2.90
Veal calves	6.00@8.00
Stock calves	2.25@5.00
Texas steers	3.75@5.00

Hogs.

Hog receipts were much lighter than looked for. Prices were mostly 5c higher on all good weight stock and about steady on light, but the finish was weaker with about 8,000 light mixed hogs left unsold. Top hogs sold at $6.70, good heavy packing went at $6.35@6.55; light bacon about $6.00@6.05; 110 lb pigs at $5.75. Closing quotations:

Good to prime, 245 to 400 lbs	$6.50@6.70
Common to good, 245 to 400 lbs	6.10@6.50
Good to prime, 180 to 245 lbs	6.25@6.65
Assorted light, 160 to 180 lbs	5.95@6.15
Common to good, 130 to 160 lbs	5.80@6.05
Mixed, 200 to 245 lbs	6.00@6.35
Light mixed, 160 to 200 lbs	6.00@6.20
Pigs	5.25@5.85

Sheep and Lambs.

Heavy sheep declined 25c; good light sheep and lambs were steady. At the close good fat heavy ewes sold at $3.50 to $3.75; best heavy wethers sold at $4.60; feeding sheep sold at $4.00@4.40; and feeding lambs at $4.00@4.75, most at $4.25@4.40; best fat lambs sold at $5.75. Closing quotations:

Good to choice wethers	$4.15@4.75
Good to choice ewes	3.50@4.00
Poor to medium ewes	2.00@3.25
Lambs	4.00@5.75
Rams	2.00@3.00
Range wethers	3.75@4.60
Range ewes	2.50@4.00
Range lambs	4.25@5.60

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Dressed beef steady; city dressed native, 7¼@11c per lb. Cables quoted American steers, 13¾c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 9c. Exports today, beef estimated, 750 beeves, 1,586 sheep, 3,840 qrs of beef. Calves—Receipts, 68 head, including a car of westerns; firm; a few veals sold at $9.50 a hundred lbs. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 782; lambs sold at $5.70@6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 2,403; none on sale.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,400 natives, 500 Texans; calves, 400, all natives; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.00@6.00; fair to good, $3.35@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.25; western fed steers, $2.50@5.25. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; top, $6.55; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.50; heavy, $6.30@6.55; mixed packers, $6.25@6.45; light, $5.90@6.35; yorkers, $6.25@6.35; pigs, $5.30@5.75. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; market 10@15c lower; lambs steady; native lambs, $4.00@5.25; western lambs, $3.85@4.35; fed ewes, $3.00@3.90; native wethers, $3.00@4.50; western wethers, $2.75@4.20; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.30.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000, including 5,000 Texans. Market slow, lower. Native shipping and export steers, $4.50@5.75, with strictly fancy worth up to $6.50; dressed beef and butchers' steers, $4.25@5.50. Hogs—Receipts, 7,000. Market 5c higher on best, others steady. Pigs and lights, $5.85@6.10; packers, $6.15@6.40; butchers', $6.35@6.65. Sheep—Receipts, 500. Native muttons, $3.70@4.25; lambs, $4.60@5.80.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000. Market strong; native steers, $3.25@5.65; cows and heifers, $3.00@4.40; western steers, $2.80@4.40; Texas steers, $2.70@4.30; canners, $1.50@2.65; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.25. Hogs—Receipts, 7,500. Market 5c higher; heavy, $6.35@6.45; mixed, $6.30@6.35; light, $6.25@6.35; pigs, $5.00@6.00. Sheep—Receipts, 4,500; fed muttons, $4.25@4.65; wethers, $4.00@4.55; ewes, $3.00@4.00.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Copper Stocks, and Other Securities at the Hub.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The local market hardly kept pace with the conditions characterizing the New York list today. The copper shares were less active, but the interest was widespread as ever. Amalgamated appeared to be under a steady pressure from inside sources. After its price had yielded to 65½ it recovered to 66⅛ and then eased off a fraction. Trinity—Mr. Lawson's favorite—was bid up sharply to 12½. Call loans, 6 per cent; time loans, collateral, 4¾@5½ per cent; time loans, mercantile paper, 5¼@5¾ per cent; clearing house loans, 5 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	7,600	65⅞	66⅞	65½	66¼
Adventure	100	17¼	17¼	17	17¼
Allouez	540	3½	3½	3¼	3¼
Arcadian	60	4½	4⅝	4½	4½
Atlantic	65	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Amn. Tel	470	162½	164	162½	163½
Atchison	580	85⅝	86	85	86
Do pfd	93	102⅛	102¼	101⅝	102⅛
Amn. Sugar	2,200	129⅞	130⅛	129⅝	130⅛
Do pfd	98	120⅛	120⅛	120	120
Agl. Chem	100	22	22	22	22
Do pfd	75	82	82	82	82
Amn. Pneumatic	15	5½	5½	5½	5½
Amn. Woolen pfd	140	77⅞	77⅞	77⅞	77⅞
Bonanza	25	80	80	75	80
Bingham	100	30⅛	30⅛	29⅞	29⅞
Cum. Tel	55	127	127	127	127
Copper Range	1,520	60⅛	60⅝	59⅞	60⅛
Calumet	25	499½	499½	498	498
Cons. Mercur	250	1 25-32	1 25-32	1 25-32	1 25-32
Centennial	800	20⅛	20⅞	20⅛	20⅞
Cent. Oil	10	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Daly West	170	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞
Dom. Steel	800	61	61	60⅞	61
Dom. Coal	20	132	132	132	132
Elm River	100	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Franklin	30	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜
Ga. Elec	150	38⅞	39	38⅞	39
Guanajuato	1,330	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Gen. Elec	53	186	188	186	188
Isle Royale	33	13	13	13	13
Mass. Mining	75	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Mohawk	485	45	46⅞	44⅞	46⅞
Michigan	75	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Mont. & Bost	2,000	2 5-16	2⅜	2⅛	2⅛
Mass. Elec. pfd	10	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
Mass. Gas	3,500	41⅞	42	41	42
Do pfd	1,075	86⅜	86⅜	85	85⅛
Mayflower	350	2½	2½	2½	2½
Mex. Cent	20	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛
N. Eng. Tel	3	138	138	138	138
Osceola	700	64⅛	65	63⅛	63⅝
Old Dom	200	18⅛	18⅛	18	18
Old Colony	70	2	2	2	2
Parrot	62	27⅝	28	27⅝	28
Père Marquette	15	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
Phoenix	1,250	5	5½	5	5
Pullman	78	233	234	233	233⅛
Planters	20	20	20	20	20
Quincy	10	120	120	120	120
Rhode Island	150	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Shannon	800	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Santa Fe	430	2	2⅛	2	2
Swift & Co	95	132	132	130	130
Seattle Elec	770	78	78	78	78
Do pfd	28	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
Trinity	3,350	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
Un. Shoe Mchy	135	52	52⅛	52	52⅛
Do pfd	10	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛
Utah	140	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛
U. S. Mining	500	22⅞	23	22⅞	22⅞
Un. Fruit	99	109	109	108⅝	109
U. S. Coal & Oil	100	15	15	15	15
Union Pacific	870	102⅛	103⅜	102⅛	103⅛
Do pfd	27	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
Victoria	275	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Winona	1,680	6⅞	6⅞	6	6⅞
Wolverine	180	69	69	68	68
Wyandot	110	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Western Tel	13	25	25	25	25
Do pfd	107	100	100	99	99

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$3000 Am Tel 4s..98⅜-½	$37000 CBQ nw 4s94⅜-½
4600 Atch 5s...101¼-½	500 Eastern 6s..107
2000 do adj.... 91½	7000 KCFtSM 5s122-½
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35000 do 2d....80-85	4000 W Tel 5s....104½

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STAKE DECIDED BY A POOR RIDE.

Sheriff Bell Beats Mrs. Frank Foster, Which Appears the Best.

ANDES FIRST IN SPRINT.

Corrigan's Colors Carried to Victory by Planudes in the Third Race.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The outside half of the track at the fair grounds this afternoon was good and all the races were run there. Three of the betting choices won, but the card was ordinary with a handicap at six and one-half furlongs as a feature. This had but four starters. Farmer Jim was the choice, but Sheriff Bell and Mrs. Frank Foster beat him to the finish line, the former winning by a neck through Redfern's superiority over Fitzgerald, who rode Mrs. Frank Foster. The latter has run consistently here, but her good races seem to have made no impression on the layers and today she was the outsider in the betting.

Mrs. Frank Foster made all the running and should have won easily, but Fitzgerald took things easy after making all the running with his mount to the final furlong and when Redfern came alongside of him with Sheriff Bell he put up a sorry exhibition and was beaten by a short neck. Well handled, Mrs. Frank Foster would have won with plenty to spare. Farmer Jim was pinched off at the top of the stretch, but that cut little figure in the result, and he could in any event have finished no better than he did, and that was third.

Andes was backed from 6 to 5 to 4 to 5 in the second race, six furlongs, and he won, but his margin at the end was only a nose. Benmora was the early pacemaker, but gave way to Boundlee and Andes at the top of the stretch and the pair had it between them to the end.

Edward Corrigan won his second purse with the St. Simon horse Planudes, which was always at the short price, and won as he pleased after indulging Gov. Sayre with the lead to the middle of the stretch. It is doubtful, however, if the English bred horse will race again, as he pulled up all broken down, and it is likely that he will be retired to Mr. Corrigan's nursery in Kentucky.

New Orleans Summaries Jan. 6.

Weather clear. Track slow.

First race, ⅝ mile, purse $400, 3 year olds, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
10-1	John Coulter, 105 [Helg'n]	4	1^2	1^1	$1^{1/2}$	1^1
8-5	Aurie B., 101 [J. Walsh]	6	9^1	8^3	5^3	2^1
8-1	Computation, 106 [Morper]	7	3^2	2^{nk}	3^1	3^4

Time, 1:32 2-5. Helen Hay, 103 pounds [O'Neil]; Apple Bloom, 96 [C. Bonner]; Heroine, 98 [Stille]; Pathos, 101 [Bridwell]; Nimble Nag, 106 [H. Michaels]; John Carney, 101 [J. William]; Anzeiger, 106 [Moll]; Kinlight, 101 [Scully], finished as named. Winner, J. Naylor & Co.'s b. g., by Melodrama—Nita Yuma. Start poor. Won ridden out.

Second race, ¾ mile, purse $400, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
4-5	Andes, 105 [Pollak]	1	4^h	4^1	2^{nk}	1^n
4-1	Boundlee, 104 [Gannon]	2	5^2	3^h	1^h	2^2
6-1	Benmora, 102 [O'Neil]	4	$1^{1/2}$	1^{nk}	3^1	$3^{1/2}$

Time, 1:16 3-5. Dr. Scharff, 101 pounds [Head]; Censor, 101 [C. Bonner]; Doeskin, 99 [Scully], finished as named. Montanic, 108 [Conley], left at the post. Winner, J. Arthur's blk. h., by Helicon—Jess. Start poor. Won driving and all out.

Third race, ¾ mile, purse $400:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
4-5	Planudes, 110 [J. Wink'd]	4	2^{nk}	2^2	3^2	$1^{1/2}$
50-1	The Stewardess, 105 [Lin'y]	5	4^1	3^{nk}	2^{nk}	2^{nk}
15-1	Gov. Sayres, 105 [O'Neil]	3	1^4	1^1	$1^{1/2}$	3^8

Time, 1:16 1-5. El Rey, 112 pounds [C. Wright]; Miss Shanley, 103 [Redfern]; Kaloma, 112 [Hoar]; Nimbledown, 100 [Pollak]; White Owl, 100 [Helgesen], finished as named. Winner, E. Corrigan's b. h., by St. Simon—Lowly. Start good. Won easily.

Fourth race, 6½ furlongs, purse $500, 3 year olds, handicap:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
8-5	Sheriff Bell, 115 [Redfern]	2	3^3	3^h	3^4	1^{nk}
13-1	Mrs. F. Foster, 108 [Fit'd]	3	1^4	1^3	1^2	2^2
11-10	Farmer Jim, 105 [Buch'n]	1	2^1	$2^{1/2}$	2^h	3^4

Time, 1:23 1-5. Glendon, 112 pounds [Gannon], also ran. Winner, M. L. Hayman's b. c., by Ornament—Louise. Start good. Won driving.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, purse $400:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
7-10	Telamon, 108 [Buchanan]	1	$1^{1/2}$	1^1	1^{nk}	1^1
20-1	Jerry Hunt, 112 [Donegan]	7	7^2	5^h	4^2	2^2
15-1	Grantor, 112 [Hoar]	5	2^h	2^1	3^h	$3^{1/2}$

Time, 1:17 1-5. Lady Alberta, 107 pounds [Redfern]; The Black Scot, 105 [Force]; Graden, 112 [Battiste]; Lord Neville, 108 [O'Brien]; Glennellie, 103 [Gannon], finished as named. Winner, Mrs. S. C. Hildreth's ch. f., by Hanover—Toloache. Start fair. Won handily.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles, purse $400, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
4-1	Chickadee, 98 [McIntyre]	3	1^h	2^4	$1^{1/2}$	1^{nk}
8-1	Satin Coat, 103 [C. Bonner]	8	9	$3^{1/2}$	$3^{1/2}$	2^1
7-1	Pay the Fidd'r, 97 [Preston]	9	8	6^h	$5^{1/2}$	3^n

Time, 2:14 1-5. Simoon, 97 pounds [Helgesen]; False Lead, 102 [Donegan]; Wunderlich, 102 [Redfern]; Irving Mayor, 97 [Treanor]; Mosketo, 105 [Pollak]; Georgia Gardner, 104 [H. Gilmore], finished as named. Winner, J. Ownbey's b. f., by Sir Modred or Duncombe—Sabilla. Start good. Won driving.

New Orleans Entries.

First race, ⅝ mile, 3 year olds, maidens, colts—Uranium, 113 pounds; Memphian, 113; Jim King, 110; Spec, 110; Mauser, 110; Royal Deceiver, 108; Showman, 108; The Wizard, 108; Doc Wood, 108; Criticism, 105; Col. Milton, b. g., by Wagner—New Jersey, 105; In Bond, 105.

Second race, ⅞ mile, selling—Montanic, 109 pounds; Playlike, 106; Moroni, 105; Fourleaf C., 103; Hazel H., 101; Marion Lynch, 101; Brown Vail, 101; Brookston, 100; Daddy Bender, 96; Floyd K., 94; Tickful, 86; Immortelle, 80.

Third race, ¾ mile, fillies and mares—L'Etreene, 115 pounds; Relucent, 103; Fickle Saint, 103; Nyx, 103; Amigari, 100; Lady Alberta, 100; Marie Bell, 100; Philo, 100; Fading Light, 97; Epidemic, 92; Wilton, 90; Lady Mistake, 90.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Potente, 116 pounds; Bohul, 108; Maj. Tenny, 99; Brief, 97.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs, 3 year olds—Henry McDaniel, 112 pounds; Glennevis, 109; Athiana, 107; Star and Garter, 106; Blanco, 106; Discus, 106; Suburban Queen, 104; Marco, 103; Cactus Oil, 103; Tioga, 101; Princess Tulane, 101; Noweta, 101.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Magnetic, 111 pounds; Silver Coin, 109; Zazel, 107; Sarilla, 107; Cogswell, 107; The Messenger, 107; Limelight, 105; Bounteous, 105; Annie Lauretta, 103; Flaneur, 103; King Barleycorn, 100; Compass, 98.

CONFESSION OF TURF FRAUD.

Jockey Penn Signs Affidavit Showing Gross Cheating in Running of Steeplechase Events.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The stewards today added another to the many links in the chain of evidence that would go to make good their suspicion against Thomas Hatfield, who was warned off the course yesterday in connection with the Jockey Hicks case.

The new developments comes in the form of a confession from Jockey Willie Penn, who was ruled off the track last winter as one of the central figures in the steeplechase scandals that ended all jumping races in this part of the country. The confession is as follows:

"I, Jockey Penn, on oath do solemnly swear that the following is the truth:

"That Jockey Ellison and Bartley came to my boarding house on Grand Route, St. John, about 6:30 p. m. and we went to the Crescent billiard hall to a private office, and there met a party by the name of Thomas Hatfield and Mr. Wright, and the said parties agreed if we would ride as they wanted they would bet for me and protect me. So Jockey Ellison and Bartley agreed that Bristol was to win and they 'shoo me in.' Bartley rode Dagmar in the race and took care of same in the race. After the race Bartley gave me $100.

"In regard to the W. H. Dixon races I did not ride, but was posted by Ellison and Bartley what was going on and how to bet my money in those two races. Hatfield and Zimmerman were the managers, and met at Bartley's house and framed up the races. The following jockeys were at this meeting: Ellison, Bartley, Brazil, Gaddy, Penn, C. Johnson, and Tanner. Ellison at the meeting claimed he was the sole owner of the horse W. H. Dixon, and after the race they agreed to give Jockey Tanner $700, but got him drunk and gave him $50. Jockey Bartley gave the following:

"Jockey Johnson, $200; Gaddy, $200; Brazil, $200; and $50 to me, the undersigned, to look wise and say nothing; and the same went for the other race that W. H. Dixon won. When I was out east this summer Ellison had the same horse out there, although he was not entered in his name. Ellison was the owner and he was trying the same out there, but he got scared away."

START SPOILS THE HANDICAP.

Field Strung Out in Oakland Feature Event—Sad Sam Beats Kenilworth a Head.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Starter Dick Dwyer spoiled his work at Oakland today by a wretched sendoff in the main event of the day, the handicap at six furlongs, which came fourth on the card.

Seven horses ran, Kenilworth carrying the top weight, 131 pounds, with the others graded down to 95 pounds on the 3 year old Sylvia Talbat. The weights were so well arranged there was no pronounced favorite. When Dwyer lifted the barrier the field sifted away one at a time, like pigeons being let out of a trap, and Sad Sam, the first one to get away, staid in front throughout and won by a head from Kenilworth, which was second from the start and ran second all the way.

The latter beat Flush of Gold only a head. Flush of Gold ran a better race than either of those in front of him, and it would be hard to guess what the others might have done if given a chance at the start. In the rest of the races the starter's work was good.

The selling event at a mile and a sixteenth brought out an interesting field, which included the well known Chicago performer, Hermencia. He was the betting favorite, but receded from 8 to 5 to 11 to 5. The race was won easily by T. H. Ryan's Constellator, which had been knocking at the door in several recent starts.

Hermencia wheeled at the start and got away badly, then ran up to his field at the half mile, but after that dropped back again and finished last. The judges thought something might be wrong and called Jockey J. Daly and also Owner Cahill into the stand. The boy said the horse tired under him on the far turn and the owner said he had bet on his horse, although he did not think the son of Hermence was yet quite ready for a good race. The judges have the matter under investigation.

Oakland Summaries Jan. 6.

Weather clear. Track fast.

First race, 1 mile, purse $400, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
8-1	Rey Dare, 106 [Minder]	5	1^2	1^3	1^4	$1^{1/2}$
7-1	I. O. U., 106 [Alarie]	6	8^h	$7^{1/2}$	7^1	$2^{1/2}$
8-1	Gibraltar, 114 [E. Jones]	1	3^h	3^h	$3^{1/2}$	3^n

Time, 1:41¾. Lecturer, 109 pounds [Kelly]; Claudator, 106 [J. Ranch]; Prima II., 99 [R. Ezell]; Learoyd, 106 [C. Kelly]; Rasp, 101 [Connell]; Mont Eagle, 104 [J. T. Sheahan]; Nilgar, 106 [Bullman]; Donu, 111 [Donovan], finished as named. Alado, 111 [Bell], bled. Winner, J. C. Nealon's b. g., by El Rio Rey—Lady Dare. Start bad. Won easily.

Second race, ⅝ mile, purse $400, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
6-1	Vohicer, 112 [Bell]	5	$4^{1/2}$	3^h	$3^{1/2}$	1^1
8-5	Ada N., 112 [Birkenruth]	2	1^h	$2^{1/2}$	$1^{1/2}$	2^8
30-1	Sleeping Child, 111 [Don'n]	9	5^h	$4^{1\,1/2}$	4^h	3^1

Time, 1:27½. Pat Morrissey, 114 pounds [J. Ranch]; Montana Peeress, 104 [Carson]; Golden Cottage, 114 [J. Daly]; Resin, 111 [Lewis]; Estado, 111 [Bullman]; Bogus Bill, 114 [Minder]; Bacchus, 106 [Murphy], finished as named. Winner, D. S. Fountain's b. h., by St. George—Fanfare. Start bad. Won cleverly.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles, purse $400, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
16-5	Constellator, 105 [Minder]	2	1^3	$1^{2\,1/2}$	1^2	$1^{1/2}$
13-5	Artilla, 110 [Bullman]	1	$3^{1/2}$	$3^{1\,1/2}$	$3^{1\,1/2}$	2^h
16-1	Canejo, 107 [J. Ranch]	3	2^2	2^2	$2^{1\,1/2}$	3^2

Time, 1:48¼. El Rio Shannon, 108 pounds [Carson]; Hermencia, 103 [J. Daly], finished as named. Winner, T. H. Ryan's b. g., by Brutus—Constellation. Won easily.

Fourth race, ¾ mile, purse $500, handicap:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
10-1	Sad Sam, 114 [Kelly]	1	1^1	$1^{1/2}$	1^2	1^h
7-2	Kenilworth, 131 [T. Burns]	4	2^2	2^2	$2^{1\,1/2}$	2^h
4-1	Flush of Gold, 104 [Birk'h]	2	$3^{1/2}$	3^3	$3^{1\,1/2}$	$3^{2\,1/2}$

Time, 1:14. Corrigan, 120 pounds [J. Ranch]; Sylvia Talbot, 95 [J. Daly]; Ben MacDhui, 110 [Minder], finished as named. Yellow Tail, 110 [Bullman], left at the post. Winner, J. H. Brannan's ch. g., by Rancocas—Heeley. Start bad. Won driving.

Fifth race, 1 mile, purse $400, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
8-1	Barklyite, 108 [Bullman]	3	$1^{1/2}$	$1^{1/2}$	1^h	1^n
9-2	Diomed, 111 [J. Ranch]	8	8	$5^{1\,1/2}$	2^2	$2^{1/2}$
10-1	Mission, 106 [Donovan]	4	2^h	4^h	4^h	3^1

Time, 1:40¾. Matin Bell, 104 pounds [C. Kelly]; Lone Fisherman, 109 [Donnelly]; Hutch Miller, 111 [Birkenruth]; Filibuster, 111 [T. Burns]; Gawaine, 111 [T. Knight], finished as named. Hesper, 114 [J. Daly], left at the post. Winner, W. P. Fine's b. g., by Star Ruby—Hinda Dwyer. Start good. Won driving.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, purse $400, 3 year olds, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
9-5	Leader, 108 [J. Ranch]	3	$4^{1\,1/2}$	$4^{1\,1/2}$	$4^{1\,1/2}$	$1^{1\,1/2}$
7-2	The Major, 112 [Birkenruth]	6	5^4	5^h	5^1	2^n
2-1	Alice Carey, 102 [Connell]	4	$2^{1/2}$	$1^{1\,1/2}$	1^2	$3^{1/2}$

Time, 1:15. Philaernus, 105 pounds [Minder]; Epicure, 112 [Bullman]; Past Master, 108 [Knight]; Tom Mitchell, 109 [Kelly]; Mexicana, 109 [T. Burns], finished as named. Winner, W. B. Jennings & Co.'s b. c., by Maxio—Pas Seul. Start fair. Won in a canter.

Oakland Entries.

First race, Futurity course, selling—Mocorito, 120 pounds; Father Wentker, 113; Royal F., 113; Montoya, 110; Tyranus, 110; Jack Richelieu Jr., 106; Stella Perkins, 103; Fort Wayne, 101; Ed Lilburn, 101; Vigoroso, 98; Naulahka, 96; Onyx II., 93.

Second race, 3½ furlongs, 2 year olds—Cascaine, ch. c., by Col. Wheeler—Early Rose, 115 pounds; Rapid Water, 115; Dr. Rowell, 115; Lord Wadsworth, 115; Royal Guard, b. c., by Rear Guard—Sallie Walker, 115; Canonicus, 115; Miss Ragen, ch. f., by Chris Evans—Lady Ragen, 112; Ambrita, 112; Ruby Ring, b. g., by Star Ruby—Kissing Ring, 112.

Third race, Futurity course, selling—Loyal S., 122 pounds; Young Morello, 117; Æsop, 114; King Herald, 105; Mr. Dingle, 104; Little Margaret, 104; Hudson, 101; Tommy Knight, 101; Ohio Girl, 98; Lansdown, 98; Gladys Bell, 96; Master, 93.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, handicap—The Fretter, 109 pounds; Lord Badge, 104; Illowaho, 103; Ishtar, 95; Sir Hugh, 90.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Artilleryman, 110 pounds; Irene Lindsey, 108; Ali, 107; Bard Burns, 107; Huachuca, 107; The Pride, 104; Jarretiere d'Or, 104; Stuyve, 102; Kittie Kelly, 99; Lapidus, 98; Erema, 94; Lady Jocelyn, 93; St. Winifride, 82.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 50 yards, selling—Horton, 111 pounds; Rollick, 105; Jim Hale, 105; Byronerdale, 95; Esherin, 86.

Oakland Track Notes.

Constellator was bid up from $400 to $800 by Al Martin, but retained by Ryan.

Leader, which won the last race, is a colt of some class, and was pounds the best.

E. G. B. Haymon has begun soliciting entries here for the Harlem Jockey club stakes.

Jockey Willie Caywood left for Chicago tonight; thence he sails soon for Russia, where he will ride next year.

Outsiders Win at Newport.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Outsiders captured the first three events and the top choices the remaining two at Newport today. The judges have rescinded the rule barring Owner W. Brown from the track. At a meeting today he was reinstated to all privileges, but fined $25 for not notifying the judges that the horse William F. II. would wear blinkers in his race yesterday. The horse will not be allowed to start in the future. Ex-Jockey Tip Leigh was exonerated, as he had no interest in the horse. Buck McCann has been refused a trainer and jockey license for disorderly conduct on the track. All other jockeys riding at the track were given licenses today by the recently organized American Turf congress. Weather clear; track frozen. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Jolo, 113 pounds [Seaman], 10 to 1, won; Nannie J., 107 [Sparger], 2 to 1, second; Col. Zack, 118 [Bohling], 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:17¾.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Ben Boy, 115 pounds [T. Walker], 6 to 1, won; Brandy Smash, 115 [Mountain], 8 to 5, second; Hi Kollar, 112 [Gainspy], 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:04.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Juniper, 112 pounds [Meyer], 10 to 1, won; Orrie Goan, 117 [Mountain], 8 to 5, second; Hermoso, 120 [Cunningham], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:03½.

Fourth race, 4 furlongs—Frank Kessinger, 104 pounds [Mountain], 3 to 2, won; Wiggins, 110 [Walker], 2 to 1, second; Dr. Hassman, 107 [Rooney], 5 to 1, third. Time, :49.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Julietta B., 107 pounds [Mountain], even, won; Fucino, 102 [Fitzmaurice], 6 to 1, second; Margaret Hoffman, 107 [Hoffler], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:45½.

Speedway Races on West Side.

The Garfield Park Driving association will hold its regular speedway matinee today on the Douglas boulevard course this afternoon. The ice path is in excellent shape and many of the fastest horses on the west side will take part in the brushes. Among those expected to be out are: Col. Dick Thompson, Manso, Calsine, Ione, Carley, Matt Hoffman, Strathwayne, Jersey Fred, Tucker, Alexander Dumas, Bassenger Boy, Bessie D., Miss Baldwin, Joe Interest, Billy S., Lauretta Mac, Belle Jordan, Billy Jeffry, Manila, and others.

Sloan's Valet Sent to Jail.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Emilie Carloz, the Swiss valet of Tod Sloan, the jockey, who was arrested a week ago on a charge preferred by Sloan that he had stolen a set of diamond sleeve links valued at $425, in addition to some clothing, was found guilty today and sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

Ranch Wanted by Vanderbilt.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—J. S. McDonald today made an offer to Burns & Waterhouse for the services of Ranch, who is wanted by W. K. Vanderbilt in France. McDonald also is after Connell for some eastern owner, but McNaughton says he will not let Connell go.

Vanmeter Buys Inventor for $5,500.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 6.—T. W. Moore of this county has sold to Frank Vanmeter the 4 year old chestnut horse Inventor. The price was $5,500.

DRAFT NEW INDOOR SCHEDULE.

High School Baseball League Completes Arrangements for Season—John Marshall Enters Game.

Managers of the Cook County High School Indoor Baseball league met in the board of education rooms yesterday and completed arrangements for the season, which opens a week from tomorrow night. John Marshall asked for a place on the schedule, which brings the number of clubs to six. A new schedule was adopted as follows:

Jan. 15—English High at West Division, Evanston at North Division, Medill at Marshall.
Jan. 22—West Division at Medill, North Division at English High, Marshall at Evanston.
Jan. 29—North Division at Marshall, West Division at Evanston, English High at Medill.
Feb. 5—Evanston at English High, Marshall at West Division, Medill at North Division.
Feb. 12—North Division at West Division, Evanston at Medill, English High at Marshall.
Feb. 19—Marshall at Medill, West Division at English High, North Division at Evanston.
Feb. 26—Medill at West Division, English High at North Division, Evanston at Marshall.
March 5—Evanston at West Division, Medill at English High, Marshall at North Division.
March 12—English High at Evanston, North Division at Medill, West Division at Marshall.
March 19—Marshall at English High, West Division at North Division, Medill at Evanston.

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'GYM' CLASS FOR SHELDON

CHICAGO FOOTBALL STAR WILL TEACH WRESTLING.

Former Captain to Instruct Candidates for This Year's Eleven and Probably Will Become Assistant Coach in Fall—Drill on Mat Will Be Part of Regular Training to Develop Muscles and Activity — Pettit to Take Tumbling Squads.

James M. Sheldon, who has been captain and half back on the University of Chicago football eleven for the last two years, has been asked to take charge of the wrestling classes in the university gymnasium for the winter and spring quarters. It is thought this is in direct line with the plan to retain him at the university next fall as assistant coach and to make him an assistant in the gymnasium during the two more years he will be in the law school.

The choice of Sheldon to take charge of the wrestling and indoor football training classes is a partial solution of the problem of filling the vacancy left in the gymnasium instruction by the resignation of Horace Butterworth. "Jimmie" had a big class of prospective wrestlers and football candidates on the mats yesterday afternoon in the 5 o'clock class. He made them work hard and some of the bouts were spirited to an unusual degree. Sheldon formerly held the middleweight championship of the university.

It has been the plan at the university to develop activity and muscle in the football men by wrestling work during the winter and spring quarters, and Sheldon will have complete charge of this work. When spring comes he probably will have charge of the spring football practice.

O. E. Pettit, who has been in Butterworth's tumbling classes for many quarters and is one of the best tumblers at the university, will have charge of the class in tumbling and heavy gymnastics for the winter quarter.

ANOTHER RULE FOR "OUTLAWS"

Jockey Club Stewards Provide Disqualification for Those Threatening Its Members or Racing.

At an adjourned meeting of the Western Jockey club the stewards took another step against the "outlaws" by passing a rule providing for disqualification of persons threatening associations racing under the jurisdiction of the jockey club.

The rule is sweeping in its scope and could be so construed as to disqualify those criticising the methods and actions of the club, but there is no idea here the stewards intend any such course. It is thought the rule is intended to include those who threaten to stop racing where no kindly law exists, as here in Illinois, and to apply to the recently reported threat to pass a ten day racing law in Tennessee, which would affect Memphis and Nashville, both jockey club tracks. Here is the rule:

> Any person seeking to injure, defame, or bring into disrepute by threats, intimidation, menace, or otherwise the associations, the racing or race meetings of associations racing under the jurisdiction of the Western Jockey club shall be disqualified.

GAMES IN BOWLING LEAGUES.

Eskimos and Wahoos Roll Big Totals in the Northwest Tournament—Vestibules Twice Defeat Gunthers.

High scores were made in the Northwest league last night, the Eskimos averaging 962⅔ and the Wahoos 948⅔. The former team shut out the Olympias and the latter twice defeated the Edelweiss rollers. Schaefer's men took two games from the Drexels in the Phœnix league, and the Vestibules twice downed the Gunthers in the Illinois league. Scores:

NORTHWEST LEAGUE.

Olympia.	1.	2.	3.	Eskimo.	1.	2.	3.
A. Hoeft	165	155	139	Greiner	203	205	208
Holt	163	209	178	Guttgesell	203	155	218
Hanson	158	159	141	Boiskon	213	221	218
W. Hoeft	169	154	192	L. Gellert	179	159	159
Anderson	140	203	191	Langmeyer	186	188	177
Totals	795	880	847	Totals	984	928	976
Wahoo.	1.	2.	3.	Edelweis.	1.	2.	3.
S. Slawson	160	203	183	Wastall	176	187	195
C. Nelson	204	167	188	Thorson	162	170	207
St. Slawson	183	202	226	Reetz	160	193	195
C. Kaad	169	182	170	Law	167	180	192
Clinch	230	205	187	Hoffmann	191	159	170
Totals	946	959	941	Totals	856	889	959

ILLINOIS LEAGUE.

Vestibule.	1.	2.	3.	Gunther.	1.	2.	3.
F. Johnson	167	186	166	Schmidt	129	182	160
B. Johnson	160	163	234	Forch	176	170	150
Thor'nder	184	151	165	Moore	197	196	193
Koenig	159	207	182	Kling'berg	163	203	225
Seaburg	203	253	178	Strong	203	190	221
Totals	873	960	925	Totals	868	941	949

PHŒNIX LEAGUE.

Schaefers.	1.	2.	3.	Drexels.	1.	2.	3.
Root	176	140	203	Nicolet	177	194	169
Walsh	223	155	179	Nealy	177	172	225
Semones	172	239	177	Edgerton	157	156	186
Negley	181	160	240	Cullom	172	204	172
Jordan	182	182	166	Karnes	177	195	157
Totals	935	876	965	Totals	860	921	909

STAR LEAGUE.							
Engravers	817	884	773	W'n's Stars	842	892	811
Brilliants	864	971	880	Fellowships	839	782	743
ENGLEWOOD LEAGUE.							
S. Parks	910	939	858	Englewood	862	833	790
SOUTH WATER STREET LEAGUE.							
H. Martin	954	838	841	Middend'f	773	828	850
GARFIELD PARK LEAGUE.							
Hallex	827	852	764	Senators	794	816	822
HUMBOLDT LEAGUE.							
W. Side	828	835	862	Maplew'ds	894	823	825
KEDZIE LEAGUE.							
Hauers	849	742	846	Zajicek	791	760	839
COAL TRADE LEAGUE.							
Lehigh V'y	646	717	582	Coxe Bros.	777	713	731
BENSINGER LEAGUE.							
Bensingers	867	786	811	Schrafft	825	766	926
COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.							
Captains	785	758	894	Carsons	727	763	718
PAINT, OIL, AND VARNISH LEAGUE.							
Murphy	706	773	702	Rub. P. Co.	647	728	683
Chi. Vr. Co.	815	815	718	Pitkin & Co.	673	803	695
BANKERS' LEAGUE.							
For. Bros.	816	745	748	Merchants	745	964	772
A.T. & S.B.	867	840	848	Continen'l	724	634	699
NATIONAL LEAGUE.							
Underoof	905	867	902	Live Topic	812	708	853
MANHATTAN LEAGUE.							
Hammer	848	828	823	Pinzen	772	916	811
UNION LEAGUE.							
Curran	768	849	767	Actives	810	776	819
Pioneer	913	861	984	Halls	830	904	917
NORTH CHICAGO LEAGUE.							
Paramount	690	758	780	Plaza	847	876	857
Ben Alls	891	838	920	Onward	688	755	783
BUSINESS MEN'S LEAGUE.							
Opticians	955	858	832	Ill. Brick	777	880	774
Publishers	898	974	880	Furniture	834	812	833
METROPOLITAN LEAGUE.							
Premier	858	845	780	Idlehours	796	905	870
LAKE VIEW LEAGUE.							
Oakdale	972	967	855	Armour	883	784	834
Ft. Sher'n	900	872	887	Racine	799	882	795
KEDZIE LEAGUE.							
D. Park	795	802	677	Vetrek	706	882	811

All American Bowlers Win.

Toledo, O., Jan. 6.—The All American bowling team defeated the Toledo team tonight by the following scores: All American, 565, 511, 563, 599, 624; grand total, 2,862. Toledo, 530, 553, 482, 552, 645; grand total, 2,762.

MUNROE IN FOUR ROUND BOUT.

Miner, Whom Jeffries Could Not Put Away, Fails to Stop Sullivan at Anaconda.

Anaconda, Mont., Jan. 6.—Jack Sullivan, a local boxer, tonight staid four rounds before Jack Munroe, the miner who did the same thing with Jeffries.

Sullivan was much the lighter man, and has never been in a finish fight. Munroe did all the aggressive work, chasing Sullivan around the ring when they were not clinched.

In the first round Sullivan stood up pretty well and made some return of the punching from Munroe. In the remaining rounds it was mostly clinching and short arm blows, Sullivan dropping to his knees after each exchange, remaining there for the count each time. In the last round he was on the floor most of the three minutes.

Munroe showed himself a quick and hard hitter. Sullivan is clever, but in a finished fight would hardly last. He gave little punishment, but managed to avoid most of what was meant for him.

"Battling" Nelson Wins Bout.

Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 6.—"Battling" Nelson of Chicago stopped Sammy Maxwell of the Pacific coast in the eleventh round of a hard contest before the Whittington Park club tonight.

HALTS DEAL FOR THIRD CLUB HERE

Lennon Wants to Retain St. Paul Franchise at Downtown Site.

LEAGUE FAVORS CHICAGO.

Option Held by Hickey as Trustee Likely to End Hope of Northern City.

Negotiations looking to the transfer of the St. Paul American association baseball team to this city were conducted yesterday between Owner Lennon of the St. Paul club and President Hickey of the league. The brief conference showed a marked difference of opinion and the matter will be discussed more fully today. It is thought, however, the deal eventually will go through.

As the situation stands all the American association magnates except Lennon want to see a club installed here before any peace negotiations between the big leagues make such a venture an impossibility. Last fall Mr. Lennon gave an option on his franchise to Hickey, acting as the league's agent, to be operative in case he was unable to secure a satisfactory downtown site for his St. Paul club. Lennon was unable to secure the site he desired in St. Paul which the league considered satisfactory through adverse action of the city council.

Since that time pressure has been brought to bear on Lennon in St. Paul, and he now wants to offer a substitute location near the heart of the city and wants the location investigated by the league before taking advantage of the option. So far as known the new location is not entirely satisfactory to the league, especially since the magnates are firm in their desire to enter Chicago.

This is the bone of contention, and while the league thinks it has a right to close its option, Lennon is presenting counter arguments. It seems a safe proposition, however, that Lennon will eventually be overruled and sell the franchise to Chicago capitalists. Whether the American association club will be located on the south side or on the north side depends on outside deals now pending.

Nothing new developed locally in the peace situation between the American and National leagues, and President Johnson is awaiting the reply to his letter sent to Garry Hermann, which he expects today. Johnson asserts that so far as he is concerned no date has been set, although there is nothing to prevent an early meeting if the preliminary details are satisfactorily settled.

The peace question is one which has nearly lost its interest with the public through the bickerings which have marked the attempt of the two committees to even get together, and it has become a subject in which only those financially concerned are interested.

"When the two leagues are ready to quit 'talking' and do some 'thinking' it will again become an important issue in baseball," is the way one disgusted fan expressed it yesterday.

PEACE STILL IN THE FUTURE.

Hermann Receives Johnson's Letter, but Keeps Contents Secret—No Date for a Conference.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—To all appearances, so far as is known in Cincinnati, the contemplated peace conference between the two major leagues, the National and American, is as far off as ever, and there is no reason to believe that a conference will be held here this week.

President Hermann of the Cincinnati club, who is the chairman of the National league committee and the prime mover in the effort to end the present chaotic condition in baseball, received the expected letter this morning from President Ban Johnson of the American league, but refused to divulge its contents.

"There was nothing in it that could be interpreted as meaning the conference will be held on Friday of this week," said Mr. Hermann. Mr. Hermann acted mysteriously about the contents of the letter from Chicago, and there is reason to believe he had good reasons for not giving to the public what it contained. He did say, however, that the letter was along the line of when the conference would or would not be held. He said that Mr. Johnson has a right to call a conference at any time that suits him. Further than this Mr. Hermann refused to discuss the situation.

Big Salaries Reported in Gotham.

New York, Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The American league will go down deep into its pockets to pay the salary of Willie Keeler, who is to play with the New York club of Ban Johnson's league this season. Keeler, it is said, is to receive $10,000 a year for two years. Delehanty's contract from the New York National league club calls for $8,000 a year.

GOSSIP OF THE PUGILISTS.

Yanger and Callahan Matched to Fight Again Jan. 19—Siler Refuses to Act as Referee.

[BY GEORGE SILER.]

The all absorbing topic in downtown sporting circles yesterday was the hurricane fight put up by Benny Yanger and Tim Callahan at the American Athletic club on Monday night.

Those who were fortunate enough to have witnessed the contest say it was the speediest and cleverest affair of its kind that ever took place in Chicago, and that they would willingly pay double the price of admission charged to see another bout just like it. Both boys received the praise due them, Callahan for his clever left hand stabs, and Yanger for his aggressiveness and his bulldog tenacity.

Tim, besides receiving credit for the scientific manner in which he fought, was censured by some for his hitting and holding tactics and other transgressions of the mutual agreement rules.

"There is no doubt," said one enthusiastic fan, "that Callahan infringed the rules often enough to be disqualified, but had the referee done so the crowd would have yelled in derision. The fight was too good to be stopped on technical points."

The managers of the fighters met yesterday afternoon, and after lauding the fighting qualities of their respective protégés, agreed to pit the boys against each other again, the contest to take place on Jan. 19. With the match practically arranged, the question of referee was brought up. Billy Roche, Callahan's manager, whom I have known a number of years, broached the subject to me last night, stating he would not be convinced Yanger could beat Callahan unless I, as referee, so decided. Owing to my recent resolution not to referee at any of the local boxing clubs, under present conditions, I was, of course, compelled to decline.

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Jack O'Keefe and Buddy Ryan, who have fought two draws at weight, will meet at the Lyceum club Monday night at catchweights. "Young" Corbett, who has grown weary of trying to pull off his bout with Terry McGovern, is out for new matches, and a proposition has been made to let the winner of Monday night's contest meet him here.

The other events on the Lyceum card are: Mike Shreck and Jack Beauscholte at 158 pounds at 3 o'clock; Young Scotty and Freddy Green, at 133; Joe Curtin and Frank Steiner, at 145. A fifth bout is to be announced later.

The match between Jack Root and George Gardner, which was to have been the star feature at the Lyceum club next Monday, has been postponed, owing to Gardner's absence in the east. An effort is being made to arrange it for Jan. 26.

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Clarence Forbes and "Kid" Herman will clash in the windup at Apollo hall tomorrow night. Herman, who carries the punch to win, is shy on speed and general all around cleverness, and is working to develop these essential points. Clarence, with science and tricks to spare, is putting in his best licks to increase his hitting power. The bout has all the ear marks of a rattling good go. In the semi-windup Johnny Kelly, the little knockerout, will face undefeated Tommy Moore.

"Young" Corbett Bitten by Cat.

Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 6.—Young Corbett was severely bitten on the thumb of his right hand today by a pet cat. It is thought the injury may make it necessary to cancel the fight with Austin Rice on Jan. 14.

Last Night's Billiard Scores.

At Mussey's—Winters defeated Johnson at balk line, 150 to 118. Kurtz and Metcalf will play tonight.

At Foley's—Rein won from Hale at balk line, 250 to 117. Ballard and Adair play tonight.

At Bensinger's—Meyer (42) beat Berg (50) by a score of 42 to 49.

WINNING VOTE ON TRIAL.

CRIMINAL CASE MAY CHANGE PRIMARY ELECTION RESULT.

Frederick Lovell, C. E. Glysson, and Henry Lesser, Indicted for Work in Democratic Primary in Third Ward on June 13 Last, to Be Called Before Judge Horton Today — Conviction May Invalidate Selection of Patrick White to Democratic Committee.

The trial of a criminal charge, which attorneys for the state say will make an epoch in the history of Cook county politics, and may indirectly cost Patrick White his place in the democratic committee, will be called before Judge Oliver H. Horton today. The defendants are Frederick Lovell, who is alleged to have voted illegally at the primaries in the Eighth district of the Third ward on June 13 last, and C. E. Glysson and Henry Lesser, who are under indictment charged with having induced Lovell to vote.

This single vote, which the state's attorney expects to have declared illegal, is said to have turned the tide of the primaries against former Mayor John P. Hopkins and the Tilden democracy in the entire First congressional district, and to have seated White in the county committee.

Expect a Plea of Guilty.

The case of the prosecution is based largely on the report made by Attorney T. W. Flynn, who represented the Hopkins faction before the grand jury, that Lovell was prepared to plead guilty to the charge of illegal voting, and to accuse the other defendants of inducing him to vote in the name of John McMahon, a registered voter in the district.

The struggle between the Harrison faction, represented by White, and the Hopkins-Tilden democracy faction was bitter in the First district, and the third was the pivotal ward. So close was the vote, it is claimed, that on the three first counts in the Eighth primary district the opposing delegates were tied for election. On the fourth count, however, the Tilden ticket was declared defeated by one vote.

Big Result from One Ballot.

The election of the three White delegates in this primary district threw the majority vote of the ward to White, and he was elected to a seat in the county committee. The ward having gone against the Hopkins-Tilden democracy, the result was that they were weakened in the First congressional district, and therefore the complexion of the county, state, senatorial, and congressional slate was changed from what it probably would have been had the Tilden democracy been successful.

JACKSON I. CASE IS DEAD.

Wealthy Racine, Wis., Manufacturer and Horseman Passes Away After Hard Fight for Life.

Racine, Wis., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Jackson I. Case, only son of the late Jerome I. Case, millionaire manufacturer and horseman, died here this afternoon of Bright's disease. For over a year Mr. Case had been in ill health and consulted physicians in Chicago and Milwaukee, who gave him little hope, informing him he could live but three months. The patient laughed at his physicians and, then following his mother and sister's, became a firm believer in Christian Science.

Born in Racine, Oct. 23, 1865, Jackson Case was surrounded with every luxury and given the best education the colleges offer. The father desired that his only son would succeed him as the head of the firm.

The young man trained and drove many horses, giving them great records, and drove Jay Eye See, trotting record of 2:06, giving the gelding a pacing record of 2:06¼. Jackson Case was interested in many manufacturing concerns in Racine and left a large estate. He carried life insurance for over $100,000. Mr. Case served in the city for two terms and built the electric street railway system here, which was a financial failure. The funeral is to be held Friday.

CORBETT IS STILL WILLING.

Ex-Champion Accepts Offer of Hays Valley Club of San Francisco for a Match with Jeffries.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 6.—"I will accept the offer of the Hays Valley Athletic club of San Francisco to fight Jim Jeffries for the championship of the world," said James J. Corbett tonight. Corbett believes Jeffries will also accept the offer because the club is reliable and the champion has had no good fight for a long time. The Hays Valley Athletic club announces that it will offer a purse of $20,000 for a twenty round contest between Corbett and Jeffries.

Northwesterns, 7; Edgars, 2.

The Chicago and Northwestern team won a closely contested game from the Chicago Edgars last night. The feature was the work of Billings, left short of the railway team. Score:

Chicago and N. W. Ry..0 3 0 0 0 0 4 0 0—7
Chicago Edgars........0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0—2

Three base hit—Hawkins. Struck out—By Cox, 20; by Searles, 21. Umpires—Sheldon and Murphy. Time—1:05.

Chicago Athletic Notes.

Ivison, who it was incorrectly reported had left college, will be back in the half mile and will try for the baseball team. The baseball squad will take its first work today.

Walter S. Kennedy, captain and quarter back on the Chicago eleven in 1899, is ill in Jacksonville, Ill., with typhoid fever. He was on the point of returning to his rubber plantation in Mexico.

Fred Moloney, captain and hurdler of last year's Chicago track team, will probably not run for the varsity during the winter quarter, and, as he is eligible for one more quarter according to the four year rule, he will run in the spring.

John Powers Is Married.

John T. Powers, editor of a local sporting paper, and Miss Mamie M. Purtell were married last evening at the church of Our Lady of the Angels, the Rev. J. A. Hynes officiating.

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Aranda, William C.
Beech, Mrs. Mabel Dodds.
Brennan, Kittie.
Benbow, Carrie B.
Brownell, Alta.
Cox, Amelia A.
Cotter, Mary.
Dahl, Amund S.
Ellis, C. W.
Emmert, Frank B.
Gleason, Michael.
Gilmour, Flora.
Gray, William.
Haack, Rudolph.
Hinchey, William F.
Hoerlein, Samuel F.
Hannan, Mrs. Mary.
Harvey, Hugh Edward.
Johnson, Sven Peter.
Kelly, John C.
Kembill, Theodore M.
King, Irmagard L.
Lang, William.
Lind, Charles.
Mason, Mary A.
McCormick, James J.
McInerney, Dennis.
McLean, Martha H.
Mueller, George.
Nicholes, Mrs. Amanda.
Marland, Ellen A.
O'Connell, John.
Overmeyer, John.
Peterson, Mrs. Martha.
Popp, Margareth.
Pyott, Jas. Middleton Sr.
Ryan, Alice Irene.
Straight, Susan W.
Tesch, Fredericka.
Thiele, Lina.
Tilton, Caroline Stebbins.
Tobin, T. J.
Wilson, Martha J.
Taurog, Leah.
Wolspenholme, Rose.
Zimmerman, Rev. Dr.

ARANDA, William Corwin, son of E. and Grace Corwin Aranda. Funeral today at 11 a. m. from 4306 Calumet-av. Burial private.

BEECH—Mrs. Mabel Dodds Beech, 778 S. California-av., Jan. 5, aged 23. Funeral Thursday, at 1 p. m., from Douglas Park Methodist Episcopal church. Burial at Forest Home cemetery.

BRENNAN—Kittie Brennan. Funeral today at 9 a. m. from 34 E. 42d-st. to Holy Angels' church, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet.

BENBOW — Carrie B., Jan. 6, 1903, aged 41 years, beloved wife of Elijah B. Benbow, 948 Park-av. Funeral Thursday at 1 o'clock to Forest Home.

BROWNELL—At Lemont, Ill., Alta, aged 7 years and 2 months, daughter of Ralph E. and Lucy Brownell. Services private.

COX—Amelia A. Cox. Funeral today at 9:30 a. m. from 284 N. Clark-st. to Elmwood.

COTTER—Mary, wife of Thomas Cotter. Funeral today at 9 a. m. from 923 Elston-av. to Annunciation church, thence by carriages to Calvary.

DAHL—Amund S. Funeral today at 1 p. m. from 13 Armour-st.

ELLIS—C. W. Ellis, aged 44 years. Funeral Jan. 8 from 520 N. Normal-parkway to Oakwoods.

EMMERT—Frank B., Jan. 4, aged 42 years, husband of Mary Emmert. Funeral today at 1 p. m. from 1999 W. Lake-st. to Oakridge.

GLEASON—Michael, Jan. 5, aged 33 years, son of Marie and the late John Gleason. Funeral today at 9:15 a. m. from 172 Blue Island-av. to Calvary.

GILMOUR—Flora, on Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1903, widow of W. Aiken Gilmour. Funeral from late residence, 512 50th-st., Wednesday, Jan. 7, 9:30. Burial at Forest home.

GRAY—William Gray, Jan. 5, aged 81 years. Funeral today at 9:30 a. m. from 5318 Lake-st. to St. Thomas church, thence by carriage to Mount Olivet.

HAACK—Rudolph, son of John and Ottillie Haack. Funeral Jan. 6 from 1809 Eberly-av. to Eden cemetery.

HINCHEY—William F., Jan. 5; husband of Julia Hinchey. Funeral today at 9:30 a. m. from 1135 Grenshaw-st., to St. Charles' Church, thence by carriage to Calvary. Funeral private.

HANNAN—Mrs. Mary, aged 79 years; wife of the late Patrick Hannan. Funeral today at 9 a. m. from 5152 5th-av., to St. Anne's church, thence by carriage to Calvary.

HARVEY—Hugh Edward, aged 2 years; son of Hugh H. and Anna E. Harvey. Funeral Jan 8 at 10:30 a. m. from 52 De Kalb-st., by carriage to Forest Home.

HOERLEIN—Samuel F., of this city, formerly of Utica, N. Y., aged 52 years; brother of H. A. and B. A. Hoerlein. Services from Bowen's undertaking parlor, 3913 Cottage Grove-av., Thursday at 2 p. m.

JOHNSON—Sven Peter, aged 69 years. Funeral Jan. 8 at 2 p. m. from 15 Oak-pl., to Graceland.

KELLY—Jan. 6, John C., beloved husband of Jane Kelly, née Lynch, aged 47 years. Funeral Friday, at 9 a. m., from 5932 La Salle-st., to St. Anne's church, thence to Union depot, and by cars to Calvary.

KEMBILL—Tuesday morning, Jan. 6, at Evanston, at the residence of his father, A. W. Kembill, Theodore Mahon Kembill, aged 32 years.

KING—Irmagard L., Jan. 5, aged 18 years. Funeral today at 1 p. m. from Wilmette, Ill., to Rosehill.

LANG—William, husband of Julia Lang. Funeral Jan. 8 at 2 p. m. from 2449 Cottage Grove-av., to Oakwoods.

LIND—Charles, aged 54 years. Funeral today at 2 p. m.

MARLAND—Entered into rest Monday, Jan. 5, 1903, at her residence, 1089 W. Adams-st., Ellen A. Marland. Funeral Thursday, at 1 p. m., at Western Avenue Baptist church. Oldham (Lancashire, England) papers please copy.

MASON—Mary A., widow of Andrew Mason, at her residence, 715 S. Homan-av., in her 79th year. Funeral from her late residence Thursday, Jan. 8, at 8:30 a. m., by carriages to C. & N. W. depot. Interment at Morrison, Ill. Oshkosh (Wis.) papers please copy.

McCORMICK—James J. Funeral Jan. 6 from St. Pius' church, to Calvary.

McINERNEY—Dennis. Burial Jan. 6 at Mount Olivet; private.

McLEAN—Jan. 5, Martha H., wife of William H. McLean. Funeral services at residence, 457 W. Harrison-st., Thursday, 12 o'clock noon. Interment in Rosehill.

MUELLER—George, Jan. 5, aged 21 years, son of Amelia Mueller. Funeral from 138 Southport-av., to Graceland.

NICHOLES—Mrs. Amanda M., widow of Daniel C. Nicholes, Jan. 6, 1903, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Edmund Adcock, 2902 Prairie-av., aged 76 years. Funeral 11 a. m. Thursday, Jan. 8, from above residence.

O'CONNELL—John. Burial today from the vault at Mount Olivet.

OVERMEYER—Jan. 1, 1903, in Oklahoma City, John, aged 3½ years, only son of Leslie C. and Kittie S. Overmeyer and grandson of Col. John B. Overmeyer of Chicago. Burial at Greenwood, Okla.

PETERSON—Mrs. Martha, aged 71 years. Funeral Jan. 8 at 1:30 p. m. from 734 N. Campbell-av., to Mount Olive.

POPP—Margareth, beloved wife of the late Peter Popp, Jan. 5, aged 67 years and 10 months. Funeral from late residence, 543 S. Halsted-st., 12 m., Wednesday, Jan. 7, by carriage to Waldheim.

PYOTT—James Middleton Pyott Sr., aged 75 years, at his residence, 291 Ashland-blvd., Jan. 5, 1903, of pneumonia. Funeral Wednesday, Jan. 7, at 1 o'clock, from the residence by carriages to Rosehill.

RYAN—Alice Irene, twin daughter of John and Lizzie Ryan. Funeral from 6400 Union-av.; private.

STRAIGHT—Susan W., wife of Lewis C. Straight, suddenly, Monday morning, Jan. 5, at her residence, 6336 Woodlawn-av. Funeral Wednesday, Jan. 7, 2 p. m., Woodlawn Park Presbyterian church, 64th-st. and Kimbark-av. Burial private.

TESCH—Friederike, Jan 6, aged 85 years, beloved mother of Mrs. Robert Schmeling, Robert, Charles F., and Fred H. Tesch. Funeral Thursday, Jan. 8, at 2 p. m. from late residence, 720 Fullerton-av., to Graceland cemetery.

TILTON—At La Grange, Ill., Monday, Jan. 5, at the residence of her son, John N. Tilton, Caroline Stebbins, widow of the late John Rollins Tilton of Rome, Italy, in the 75th year of her age. Funeral from her late residence today (Wednesday) at 11 o'clock.

THIELE—Lina, Jan. 5, aged 35 years; wife of Henry Thiele. Funeral Jan. 8 at 1 p. m. from 5735 Chicago-av., to Concordia.

TOBIN—T. J., aged 39 years. Funeral Jan. 8 from 29 Lincoln Park-blvd., to Holy Name cathedral, thence by train to Calvary.

TAUROG—Leah, Jan. 4, aged 64 years; wife of Joseph Taurog. Burial from 399 Maxwell-st.

WILSON—At Salem, Mass., Jan. 6, Martha Jane, wife of J. H. Wilson. Burial in Chicago. Notice later.

WOLSPENHOLME—Rose, Jan. 4, aged 18 years. Burial today at 2 p. m. from 7522 Madison-av.

ZIMMERMAN—Rev. Dr. G. A. Zimmerman entered into rest Jan. 5 at his residence, 619 Cleveland-av. The funeral will take place from St. John's church, cor. Garfield-av. and Mohawk-st., Wednesday, July 7, where the remains will lie in state from 11 to 1 o'clock. Interment Graceland cemetery.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:

Butler, Margaret, 70; 17 Sholto-st., Jan. 5.
Benedict, Frank W., 41; 444 Grand-av., Jan. 5.
Bliss, Amy D., 49; 1139 Flournoy-st., Jan. 5.
Danczinski, Stela, 17; 95 Clever-st., Jan. 5.
Ballwitt, Ernst W., 87; 21 Gresham-st., Jan. 5.
Brennan, Kittie, 44; 34 E. Forty-second-st., Jan. 5.
Cunningham, Lucy, 82; 469 S. Western-av., Jan. 4.
Cotter, Mary, 77; 925 Elston-av., Jan. 5.
Dupius, Treffle, 38; 44 Elburn-av., Jan. 2.
Downing, Benjamin F., 78; 285 Ogden-av., Jan. 6.
Derbyshire, Charles W., 55; 345 Forty-second-st., Jan. 5.
Fraley, Ann, 70; 5624 Aberdeen-st., Jan. 4.
Gockel, John, 60; 4429 Wentworth-av., Jan. 4.
Gray, William, 81; 5318 Lake-av., Jan. 5.
Hedin, John A., 46; 1723 N. Clark-st., Jan. 3.
Hoerlein, S. F., 51; 716 Sedgwick-st., Jan. 6.
Hansen, Peter M., 51; 339 Walnut-st., Jan. 5.
Hutchison, Sally, 50; 388 State-st., Jan. 3.
Hilbrecht, John, 71; 3650 S. Wood-st., Jan. 5.
Jakal, August, 40; 237 W. Division-st., Jan. 5.
Jacob, Bruno, 59; 62 Siegel-st., Jan. 3.
Katofske, Adam, 64; 62 Dayton-st., Jan. 5.
Kelly, Margaret, 63; 2399 W. Erie-st., Jan. 5.
Kelly, Michael H., 56; 2071 Adams-st., Jan. 4.
Kelly, Rosa, 38; 483 W. Madison-st., Jan. 4.
Livingston, Nathan, 10; 401 Maxwell-st., Jan. 6.
Libera, Wajch, 42; 21 Fry-st., Jan. 6.
Loeffler, Frank, 34; 78 Nebraska-av., Jan. 4.
Mooney, Catherine, 83; 4157 Berkeley-av., Jan. 5.
Moore, Effie, 31; 5740 Aberdeen-st., Jan. 5.
Nyeum, William H., 61; 1409 Sheridan-road, Jan. 6.
O'Connor, Bridget, 70; 134 Sedgwick-st., Jan. 3.
O'Malley, Anthony C., 47; 80 E. Superior-st., Jan. 3.
Quinn, Louise, 30; 6318 Wentworth-av., Jan. 4.
Schaefer, Fritz M., 40; 730 Lincoln-av., Jan. 3.
Straight, Susan W., 60; 6336 Woodlawn-av., Jan. 5.
Schmidt, Minnie, 40; 6730 May-st., Jan. 4.
Szewczykowska, Frances, 34; 4850 Throop-st., Jan. 5.
Thielr, Lena, 33; 5735 Chicago-av., Jan. 5.
Thomas, Sarah B., 31; 4501 Wabash-av., Jan. 5.
Wilmot, John, 33; 557 Kinzie-st., Jan. 4.
Wood, Elizabeth A., 74; 469 W. Congress-st., Jan. 5.
Welch, Mathias, 51; 451 Twenty-fourth-st., Jan. 6.
Wildenheim, Mary Ann, 49; 118 Twenty-fifth-st., Jan. 6.

BUILDING PERMITS.

THE FOLLOWING BUILDING PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the building department:

E. J. Euhein, 1 and 2 story frame stores and flats, 2220-2 W. 59th-st.	$ 5,500
John Gillispie, 1½ story cottage, 7251 Rhodes-av.	1,200
Chicago and Western Suburban Express company, 2 story warehouse, 1798-1800 W. 22d-st.	20,000
John Hansen, 2 story flats, 2523 110th-st.	3,300
E. Levy, 3 story flats, 4317 Calumet-av.	10,000
W. G. Livingston, 4 story warehouse, 237 Wells-st.	10,000
Ferdinand Roeseler, 3 story store and flats, 1005 W. North-av.	11,000
Hanisch Bros., 3 story store and storage building, 10 and 12 S. Halsted-st.	16,000

UNDERTAKERS.

ESTABLISHED 1854.
C. H. JORDAN & CO.,
14 AND 16 E. MADISON-ST., CHICAGO.
135 EAST 53D-ST., HYDE PARK.
Y. M. C. A. BUILDING, EVANSTON, ILL.

J. WHITTIER BUFFUM [20 YEARS WITH THE late C. H. Jordan], undertaker, 1722 Wabash-av. Tel. South 953.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

Illinois and Indiana—Fair in south, snow and colder in north portions Wednesday, Thursday fair, brisk to high northwest winds and gales.

Ohio—Fair, warmer Wednesday, Thursday fair except snow or rain along the lake, colder, brisk to high south winds, becoming west.

Lower Michigan—Snow in north, fair and warmer in south portion Wednesday, Thursday snow and colder, brisk to high south winds and gales, shifting to west.

Upper Michigan—Snow and colder Wednesday, Thursday snow and brisk to high northwest winds and gales.

Wisconsin—Snow and colder Wednesday, Thursday fair, brisk to high northwest winds and gales.

Minnesota—Snow and much colder with a cold wave Wednesday, Thursday fair and cold, brisk to high northwest winds.

North and South Dakota—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, with a cold wave, high northwest winds diminishing.

Nebraska—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, colder Wednesday, with a cold wave in north portion.

Iowa—Fair and much colder Wednesday, Thursday fair, high northwest winds.

Missouri—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, colder Wednesday in north portion.

Place of observation Time taken: Jan. 6, 8 p. m.	Thermometer	Max. temp.	Direction of wind	Precipitation 24 hours	State of weather
Abilene	62	72	S.W.	....	Clear
Albany	32	34	N.W.	Tr.	Clear
Alpena	20	24	S.	....	Clo'dy
Atlanta	32	34	W.	.06	Clear
Amarillo	60	72	S.W.	....	Clear
Battleford	22	34	N.W.	....	Clear
Bismarck	26	50	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Buffalo	22	28	W.	.06	Clo'dy
Boston	34	38	N.W.	.38	Clo'dy
Cairo	38	40	S.	Tr.	Fair
Calgary		32	W.	....	Clear
Charlotte	32	40	W.	....	Clear
Cheyenne	30	50	N.	....	Clear
Chicago	24	24	S.	Tr.	Snow
Cincinnati	26	26	S.W.	.02	Clo'dy
Cleveland	22	28	S.	.02	Snow
Concordia	46	56	N.W.	....	Clear
Davenport	22	22	S.	....	Clear
Denver	54	66	N.W.	....	Clear
Des Moines	44	48	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Detroit	18	26	S.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Dodge City	56	70	N.W.	....	Clear
Dubuque	24	26	S.E.	....	Fair
Duluth	10	22	E.	.04	Snow
El Paso	52	60	W.	....	Clear
Edmonton	20	30	W.	....	Clear
Galveston	56	58	S.W.	....	Clear
Grand Haven	20	26	S.E.	.10	Snow
Green Bay	20	24	S.	.04	Snow
Havre	22	34	N.W.	.10	Clear
Helena	40	46	N.W.	....	Clear
Huron	30	44	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Indianapolis	24	24	S.E.	Tr.	Snow
Jacksonville	46	46	S.W.	.06	Clear
Kansas City	50	52	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Lander	46	56	N.W.	....	Clear
Little Rock	52	54	S.	....	Clear
Los Angeles	74	84	S.W.	....	Clear
Marquette	18	18	S.E.	.16	Snow
Memphis	46	48	S.	....	Clear
Medicine Hat	24	44	N.W.	....	Clear
Milwaukee	22	24	S.W.	.02	Clo'dy
Minnedosa	28	34	W.	.60	Clo'dy
Montgomery	40	44	S.W.	....	Clear
Montreal	12	14	S.W.	Tr.	Fair
Nashville	34	36	S.	....	Clo'dy
New Orleans	50	58	S.W.	....	Clear
New York City	28	36	N.W.	.02	Clear
Norfolk	34	42	N.	.06	Fair
North Platte	36	50	N.W.	....	Clear
Oklahoma	54	68	S.W.	....	Clear
Omaha	42	48	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Oswego	14	28	S.E.	.10	Snow
Palestine	60	68	S.W.	....	Clear
Parkersburg	26	30	S.W.	.04	Snow
Philadelphia	30	38	N.W.	.16	Clear
Pittsburg	26	28	S.W.	.08	Snow
Pueblo	64	68	N.W.	....	Clear
Qu'Appelle	18	22	N.W.	.40	Snow
Rapid City	28	58	N.W.	Tr.	Clear
San Francisco	50	54	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
St. Louis	40	48	S.	....	Clo'dy
St. Paul	34	38	W.	.01	Snow
Salt Lake City	40	44	N.W.	....	Clear
San Antonio	62	68	S.W.	....	Clear
Sault Ste. Marie	10	12	S.E.	.02	Clo'dy
Springfield, Ill	32	32	S.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Springfield, Mo	48	52	S.W.	....	Clear
Vicksburg	48	54	S.	....	Clear
Washington	30	36	W.	.19	Clear
Wichita	56	64	N.	....	Fair
Winnipeg	4	20	N.E.	....	Clo'dy

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Manasse, optician, 88 East Madison street, was as follows: Thermometer—8 a. m., 21 degrees above zero; 9 a. m., 21; 10 a. m., 22; 11 a. m., 24; 12 m., 26; 1 p. m., 26; 3 p. m., 26; 6 p. m., 26. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.40; 6 p. m., 29.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

THE COUNTY CLERK ISSUED PERMITS TO wed to the following couples yesterday, the parties living in Chicago where no place or residence is given:

	Age.
Marcyn Cekanek, Maryanna Ceszinska	32—20
Meyer Chalinski, Dina Levitus	26—22
John F. Duff, Dayton, O., Katharine Maher, same	33—26
Henry J. Miller, Elizabeth E. Blattner	29—27
Elmer A. Thompson, Alpha R. Nichols	37—36
Julius Wendt, Ida Larson	26—25
Wilhelm Zielke, Augusta Ronneburg	37—30
Frederick O. Holzapfel, Marie Rifiek	25—20
Louis Herbert, Glen View, Ill., Therese Hannaphel, Chicago	27—29
Stefan Kowalski, Wektorya Koscielmak	28—20
Alfred H. Sheeles, Caroline A. Buck	26—23
Lawrence Flack, Nellie Banks	24—21
Hugh Gleason, Clara Buffleben	30—25
G. Kenneth Sage, Mary Thompson	33—28
Robert Russell, Edna I. Pratt	21—19
Frank J. Tenk, Quincy, Ill., Adelaide Horveler	24—23
Daniel McLane, Elizabeth Kreger	34—23
Jozef Grykszel, Lizzie Poggurokute	24—22
Alfred Ley, Mabel Sullivan	24—26
Gracino Ciappa, Maria Gevotto	25—25
Frank Jendrasz, Lekodia Usczinska	31—24
Charles R. Clark, Gertrude Midkipp	21—18
Mark Spiegel, Mina Berman	25—20
Joseph Balmer, Gross Point, Ill., Katie Hoens, same	25—23
John Maloney, Julia Lovett	21—18
William Nagle, Helen Heintz	21—18
Clarence O. Chafant, Reta H. Mellish	23—18
William Sak, Bessie J. Tyk	29—18
Henry E. Kruse, Margaret Connor	21—19
Joseph Dunne, Mary Cartney	23—23
Joseph Kelly, Mary Donovan	31—29
Anton Kapurauskis, Petronella Gudajcsyk	24—18
Szozepan Szynal, Maryanna Rajkowska	29—26
Anton Herzig, Caroline Kaufman	24—20
Otto Mason, Cora Jones	28—23
Wilhelm Knudsen, Inga Malmin	30—24
Allan Cummings, Alice Clements	25—21
Joseph Camp, Eva Anderson	22—19
Adam L. Brouhnke, Eva Baings	23—19
Frank Zilinski, Rosalie Kapa	23—18
S. Pietro Talarico, Katharine E. Cranbrona	22—20
Martin Garry, Magnolia, Wis., Katharine O'Brien	36—27
Joseph M. Lehr, Wooster, O., Mary C. Newell, same	43—27
Alexander McKenzie, Marie Wollenwider	31—31
John Massil, Florence Taylor	21—20
Napoleon T. De Joly, Adeline Thibeau De Joly	21—18
William Anderson, New Windsor, Ill., Esther Lindorff	28—24
Simon Wohlkuen, Hilda Stern	30—28
Wincenty Malarski, Frances Rossi	21—18
Louis F. Curtis, Mt. Pulaski, Ill., Mary F. Kennedy	24—20
Paul Carl, Johanna Neumann	29—35
William J. Kiley, Edith Quirk	32—28
Luther B. Dye, Dallas City, Ill., Mary M. Dye, Cambridge, O.	67—45
Daniel Epp, Jennie Liesengang	26—21
Joseph Gorman, Mamie Barrett	22—20
Vaclav Sojecki, Mary Lansky	28—36
Lawrence Rogan, Nellie Spears	23—18
Edward H. Becker, Minnie Chapman	41—38
Alden R. Denny, Galesburg, Ill., Susan T. Gould	28—29
Andor Krausz, Sadie Cohn	22—22
Henry J. Stoffer, Long Lake, Ill., Catharine Gilden, same	34—22
Lawrence Flick, Nellie Banks	24—21
Harris Bloom, Bertha Peterson	24—18
Frank Nejtek, Mary Listina	42—38
Albert P. Grunn, Alice L. Boettiger	26—20
Abraham H. Delson, Jeanette Fiatow	27—21
S. Joseph Holzbreimer, Elmira, N. Y., Fannie Cohn, Ashland, O.	35—25
Jan Malinowski, Tekla Patczinska	22—20
William W. Wilson, Edano F. Helton	24—23
Frank Wm. Walter, Belle Goodman	21—18
John T. Powers, Mayme M. Purtell	29—22
Michael Bykoski, Katarzyna Koloska	27—21
Frank Bishop, Margaret Thery	24—20
William Boughег, Harriet Sullivan	40—28
Stanislaw Zaucha, Maryanna Pachow	25—24
David Cohen, Lena Rest	27—22
Charles Cohn, Constantine, Mich., Lillian Wolff	40—24
Clarence A. Gawer, Margaret M. Boyle	24—23
Herman Haase, Kenosha, Wis., Julia Thiel, same	38—45

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FILED FOR RECORD on Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1903:

Washington-av., 283 n of 58th-st., e f, 104 1-3x181, Nov. 29, 1902 [M. E. Bennett et al., by M. in C., to Henry A. Knott, recr.]	$11,700
Halsted-st., s w cor Kenesaw-terrace, e f, 117x150, Kenesaw-terrace, 100 w of Halsted-st., s f, 50x117, Jan. 2 [Franklin D. Mitchell to Mary P. Stanley]	22,100
Buffalo-av., 196 s of 84th-st., e f, 50x124, incumb. $4,000, Jan. 3 [Robert Rettman to The Standard Brewery]	7,000
Drexel-av., 350 s of 63d-st., e f, 50x132, Dec. 3, 1902 [W. Gold to Flora D. Potter]	8,400
Michigan-av., 610 n of 55th-st., w f, 25x161, Dec. 4 [Edward Mendel to Margaret Tighe]	4,000
Michigan-av., 120 s of 50th-st., e f, 25x160¼, Dec. 26 [L. McMahon to John G. Sprankle et al.]	5,000
51st-st., 50 e of Paulina, s f, 25x125, Dec. 31 [A. W. Gottschalk to L. L. Eischenheimer]	4,000
Wabash-av., No. 1421, 25x170½, incumb. $15,000, Dec. 11 [Wm. S. Potwin to Burnette J. Hill]	40,000
Wabash-av., No. 1349, 23 37-100x170½, Dec. 29 [Anna C. Durand to Lucy J. Atwater]	19,868
Jefferson-st., s w cor 16th, e f, 55¾x90 9-10, Nov. 17 [Robert L. Martin et al., by M. in C., to Henry Belknap]	21,750
S. 41st-av., s w cor 14th-st., e f, 24¾x125 65-100, Dec. 22 [A. H. Reynolds to Jennie A. Carroll]	4,200
Vernon Park-pl., 116 e of Loomis-st., n f, 24x150, Dec. 10 [Charles H. Pratt to Agnes Piratzky]	6,500
Van Buren-st., s w cor Winchester-av., n f, 24x105, Jan. 2 [S. L. Johnston to J. Howard Bradford]	7,000
N. State-st., n e cor Elm, w f, 48x100, Dec. 23 [Estate of Elizabeth Hemmelgarn to Alice M. Chew]	16,500
Lakeside-pl., 484 w of Halsted-st., s f, 150x165, m. or l., incumb. $4,000, Jan. 2 [Frank D. Mitchell to Mary P. Stanley]	14,600
Western-av., 120 n of Le Moyne-st., w f, 72x124 7-10, Oct. 29, 1902 [Estate of Edwin H. Sheldon to Chicago Telephone Co.]	4,200
North-av., 73 w of Washtenaw, s f, 24x125, Oct. 31, 1902 [A. Anderson to Philip Hochlender]	4,800
Humboldt-blvd., s w cor Fullerton-av., e f, 66x212, Dec. 3 [Henry F. Talbot et al. to Michael Leininger]	5,000
Kenmore-av., 150 n of Ainslie-st., w f, 50x150, Dec. 29 [Charles M. Gorham to Julia Brand]	7,000
Millard-av., 731 n of Ogden, w f, 35x127, Dec. 27, 1902 [L. Wiles to May M. Glaser]	1,500
Wabansia-av., 25 w of Ridgeway, s f, 100x125 and o. p., Nov. 20, 1902 [A. Le Roy to John Mills]	2,000
Higgins-av., 528 w of N. 56th-av., n e f, 50x150, m. or l., Dec. 3, 1902 [J. Jacques to Rosa Schierhorn]	1,800
Van Buren-st., 122 w of Whipple, s f, 24x100, Dec 29, 1902 [Julia Brand to Chas. M. Gorham]	1,800
Austin-av., 192 e of Paulina-st., s f, 24x100, Dec. 27, 1902 [M. S. Madden to Harold Dyrenforth]	1,250
Lake-st., 133 w of Columbia-pl., s f, 25x125, Sept. 9, 1902 [National L. & B. Assn. to est. of Anna M. Benedict, by trustee]	1
Carroll-av., 78 e of N. 41st-av., s f, 25x125, Jan. 3 [H. Ulrich to Bernard B. Henderson]	1,400
Wood-st., 125 n of Emily, w f, 25x128, June 24, 1902 [L. H. Gueleschow et al., to George F. Koester]	2,500
Lincoln-st., 166 s of Augusta, w f, 24x124, Jan. 3 [B. Backhous to Ludwig Boller]	1,300
N. Clark-st., No. 817, 21x110, m. or l., Dec. 16, 1902 [Orsamus W. Crocker to William A. Shryer]	1
Same ppty, Dec. 16, 1902 [William A. Shryer quitclaims to Cora Crocker]	1
Webster-av., 24 w of Robey, s f, 109, Dec. 31, 1902 [C. R. Wegner to M. Kowaczek]	1,000
Monticello-av., 50 n of Bloomingdale, e f, 50x125, incumbrance $1,200, Jan. 2 [Gustaf Rupertus to Ernest Hoelterhoff]	3,000
Same ppty, Jan. 2 [E. Hoelterhoff quitclaims to Margratha Rupertus]	1
Orchard-st., 300 s of Dewey-pl., e f, 25x145½, Dec. 30, 1902 [A. W. Ostrand to Ellen Anderson]	3,200
Washtenaw-av., 150 s of Marianna, e f, 25x125, Sept. 15, 1902 [Adelbert S. Ellicson to William O. Olin]	1
Same ppty, Sept. 15, 1902 [William O. Olin quitclaims to Margaretha M. Ellicson]	1
Gresham-st., 316 n e of Milwaukee-av., n w f, 25x125, Dec. 10, 1902 [G. C. Adams to S. F. Ryba]	2,275
Christiana-av., 197 n of Noble, e f, 75x123, Jan. 3 [C. B. O. Sams to I. Wentowski]	3,500
Gary-pl., s e cor Evanston-av., n f, 100x120, Dec. 15, 1902 [L. H. Stafford to William H. Schneggen]	1
Berwyn-av., s e cor Robey-st., n f, 83x124, Dec. 30 [E. Anderson to Axel W. Ostrand]	2,500
Wild-st., 25 e of N. 51st-av., s f, 100x125, Dec. 24 [M. E. Ellis to Emma Schaefers]	1,900
La Salle-st., 100 n of 60th, e f, 50x125, Dec. 19, 1902 [M. H. D. Strawn to Caroline M. Peterson]	1,400
33d-pl., 247 w of Auburn-st., n f, 25x145.8, Dec. 3, 1902 [J. O'Neill to Ernst Koch]	2,000
S 40th-av., n w cor 15th-st., e f, 50x125, Jan. 5 [F. J. Masek to Jan Masek]	3,000
Peoria-st., 125 n of Adams, w f, 25x125, Dec. 13, 1901 [C. Lichtenberger to Chas. Lichtenberger Jr.]	1
Huron-st., n w cor Townsend, s f, 144x100, incumbrance $41,000, Jan. 5 [Gilbert D. Davis to Walter C. Newberry]	114,000
Monroe-av., n w cor 61st-st., 100x177.77, incumbrance $25,000, Jan. 3 [Walter C. Newberry to Gilbert D. Davis]	98,000
Noble-st., 72 n of Ohio, w f, 24x108, Jan. 2 [J. Anderson et al., by M. in C., to Caleb F. Gates et al.]	6,500
Armitage-av., 100 w of Hancock, n f, 25x150, Jan. 5 [I. Ortlepp to Frank Ortlepp]	1,000
Armitage-av., 50 w of Hancock, n f, 50x150, Jan. 5 [same to August Ortlepp]	2,000
Armitage-av., 125 w of Hancock, n f, 50x150, Jan. 5 [same to Hedwig Ortlepp]	1,500
Armitage-av., s w cor Hancock, n f, 50x150, Jan. 5 [same to Anna Ortlepp]	1,500
Indiana-av., 106 s of 117th-st., e f, 25x125, Nov. 18, 1902 [G. W. Perry to Joseph Pezzalle]	1,125
110th-st., 362 e of Wentworth-av., s f, 25x125, Dec. 6, 1902 [Tunnis Bulthuiz to Jacob Bruin]	1
Same property, Dec. 6 [Jacob Bruin to Aafka and Maud Bulthuiz]	1
Escanaba-av., 150 n of 88th-st., w f, 25x138½, Jan. 2 [F. Wirzvicki to Fabian Przeracki]	1,200
Washington-av., 183 n of 58th-st., e f, 40x150, Aug. 14, 1902 [L. E. Keil to Louis E. Keil]	1
2022 Wabash-av., 25x170 Dec. 31, 1902 [Sidney D. Kelsey to Albert H. Wetten]	10,000
22d-st., 200 w of Wentworth-av., n f, 25x100, Dec. 31 [C. Hanenstein to Nicholas J. Kluetsch]	3,500
38th-st., 141 e of Washtenaw-av., n f, 50x125, Dec. 17, 1902 [Jos. Butler to Leo W. Hudon]	3,300
43d-pl., 71 e of Union-av., s f, 25x125, April 24, 1902 [Mary E. Steck to Herrick A. Clark]	1,200

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

CERTIFICATES OF INCORPORATION WERE issued yesterday by the secretary of state at Springfield as follows:

The Adolph Westphal Bottling company, Chicago; capital, $5,000; manufacturing and bottling aerated waters and malt beverages; incorporators, Otto W. Westphal, Avery R. Hayes, and Edmund S. Cummings.

Pilcher, Hall & Scott, Chicago; capital, $20,000; manufacturing and mercantile business; incorporators, Robert Pilcher, Edgar A. Hall, and James Scott.

The W. J. Suffern Coal company, Chicago; capital, $10,000; mining and selling coal; incorporators, Arthur W. Underwood, John A. McKeown, and M. S. Somerville.

The Associated Union of Steam Shovel and Dredge Men, Chicago; mutual protection; incorporators, John Ohern, James Duffy, and Robert Shay.

The Progressive Spiritual church, Chicago; religious; incorporators, George V. Cordingley, Charles J. Peterson, and H. C. Blaney.

The Howard Grain, Mercantile and Elevator company, at Howard, certifies to an increase in capital stock from $5,000 to $11,000.

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LEGAL NOTICES AND PROPOSALS.

PROPOSAL FOR CONCRETE CULVERT.

Proposals are invited and will be received by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Spring Forest, Cook County, Illinois, up to eight o'clock p. m. of Jan. 22, 1903, for furnishing all labor, materials, tools, and implements necessary for the construction of a concrete steel culvert in the place of the two-iron pipe culvert across Archer-av., about four hundred (400) feet east of Wentworth-av., in the village of Spring Forest, in accordance with the ordinance therefor passed Dec. 11, 1902, and with plans and specifications which may be inspected on application to the President or Clerk of said Village of Spring Forest.

Each bidder will name the price for which he will complete the entire work, the date upon which he can commence, and the earliest time in which he can complete it.

Each bidder will also name the price per cubic yard for concrete footing courses, including all necessary excavation and other labor to cover any additional concrete foundation which may become necessary below the lines indicated on plan.

Each bidder, in accordance with said ordinance, must submit with his bid a certified check for ten (10) per cent of the amount of his bid, as security that he will enter into contract, and give bond for its faithful performance, as required by said ordinance if his bid is accepted.

The Village of Spring Forest reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Spring Forest.

Village of Spring Forest, Dec. 30, A. D. 1902.
THOS. HOPCROFT, Village Clerk pro tem.
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Waldersee	Jan. 10	Patricia	Jan. 31
Pennsylvania	Jan. 24	Bluecher	Feb. 7

MEDITERRANEAN SERVICE.
NEW YORK—NAPLES—GENOA.

Palatia	Jan. 12	*Ravenna	Feb. 12
Phœnicia	Jan. 29	Palatia	Mar. 2

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Kaiser	Mar. 10, 2 pm	Kronprinz	Apr. 21, 10 am
Kronprinz	Mar. 24, 10 am	Kaiser	April 28, 4 pm

MEDITERRANEAN SERVICE.
GIBRALTAR—NAPLES—GENOA.

*Trave	Jan. 7, 11 am	†Neckar	Feb. 21, noon
Lahn	Jan. 31, 10 am	*Lahn	Mar. 14, 9 am
*Trave	Feb. 14, 10 am	‡Weimar	Mar. 21, 11 am

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St. Paul	Jan. 7, 10 am	Phila	Jan. 21, 10 am
Finland	Jan. 17, 10 am	Friesland	Jan. 28, 10 am

PHILADELPHIA-QUEENSTOWN-LIVERPOOL.

H'ford	Jan. 10, 8:30 am	Rhyni'd	Jan. 24, 8:30 am
Noordland	Jan. 17, noon	West'land	Jan. 31, 11 am

RED STAR LINE.
NEW YORK—ANTWERP—PARIS.

Zeeland	Jan. 10, 10 am	Vaderl'd	Jan. 24, 10 am
Finland	Jan. 17, 10 am	Kr'nland	Jan. 31, 10 am

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French Line. New York to Havre—Six days.
Sailing every Thursday at 10 a. m.

La Lorraine	Jan. 8	Feb. 5	Apr. 23	May 21
La Bretagne	Jan. 15	Feb. 12	Mar. 12	Apr. 9
La Touraine		Feb. 19	Mar. 19	Apr. 16
La Savoie	Jan. 22	Mar. 5	Apr. 2	May 7
La Champagne	Jan. 29	Feb. 26	Mar. 26	Apr. 30

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Umbria	Jan. 10	
Ivernia [new twin screw]	Jan. 17	Feb. 14
Lucania	Jan. 24	Feb. 21
Etruria	Jan. 31	Feb. 28
Saxonia [new twin screw]	Feb. 7	

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Celtic	Jan. 28	Cedric	Feb. 25
Teutonic	Feb. 4	Celtic	Mar. 4

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From Boston, direct to
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"New England" †	Jan. 17,	Feb. 28
"Commonwealth" †	Jan. 3, Feb. 14,	Mar. 28

TO AZORES, NAPLES, AND GENOA.

Vancouver	Jan. 10,	Feb. 21
Cambroman	Jan. 31,	March 14

†Proceed through to Alexandria on the January and February voyages.
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Ticket office and docks, foot Michigan-av.
'Phone Central 76.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

*Daily. §Sunday. ‡Ex. Saturday. †Ex. Sunday. ¶Ex. Monday. ||Saturday only.

WESTERN ROADS.

CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY. Ticket offices, 212 Clark St. (Telephone Central 721), Oakley Av. and Wells St. Station.

	Leave.	Arrive.
"The Overland Limited" for first-class Sleeping Car passengers only	* 8.00 pm	* 9.00 am
Des Moines, Omaha, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland	*10.00 am *11.30 pm	* 7.15 am * 9.55 pm
Denver, Omaha, Sioux City, Des Moines, Cedar Rapids	* 6.30 pm *11.30 pm	* 4.00 pm * 7.15 am
Sioux City, Cedar Rapids	* 6.30 pm	* 8.55 am
Des Moines, Sioux City, Omaha	*11.30 pm	* 6.45 am
Des Moines, Sioux City, Mason City, Fairmont, Parkersburg, Traer	* 6.00 pm ‡11.30 pm	* 8.55 am † 9.55 pm
Northern Iowa and Dakotas	† 6.00 pm	¶ 8.55 am
Dixon, Clinton, Cedar Rapids	†12.30 pm	† 1.30 pm
Black Hills and Deadwood	*11.30 pm	* 7.15 am
St. Paul, Minpls., Duluth, Madison	*10.00 pm	* 7.00 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis, Hudson, Eau Claire, Madison, Janesville	* 9.00 am * 6.30 pm * 8.00 pm	* 9.25 am *11.45 am * 9.25 pm
Winona, La Crosse, Sparta, Mankato	† 8.00 am	† 5.55 pm
Winona, La Crosse, Mankato and Western Minnesota and Dakotas	† 9.00 am * 8.00 pm	† 9.25 pm * 7.00 am
Fond du Lac, Oshkosh, Neenah-Menasha, Appleton, Green Bay	†11.30 am	† 5.55 pm † 1.15 pm
Oshkosh, Appleton Junction	* 5.00 pm	*11.10 am
Menominee, Iron Mountain	† 9.00 am	* 5.55 pm
Green Bay and Menominee	k 3.00 pm	† 4.00 pm
Ashland, Hurley, Bessemer, Ironwood and Rhinelander	†a3.00 am * 5.00 pm	* 9.55 am † 9.30 pm
Oshkosh, Green Bay, Menominee, Marquette and Lake Superior	a 3.00 am * 8.00 pm	† 9.30 pm * 7.30 am
Manistique, Sault Ste. Marie	† 8.00 pm	¶ 7.30 am
Green Bay, Florence, Crystal Falls	*10.30 pm	* 7.30 am

Rockford and Freeport—Lv. †7.15 am, §8.45 am, †10.20 am, †4.45 pm, §7.00 pm, †11.25 pm.
Rockford—Lv. †3.00 am, §4.00 am, †9.00 am, †2.02 pm, †6.30 pm.
Beloit, Janesville, Madison—Lv. †3.00 am, §4.00 am, *9.00 am, †4.25 pm, †5.01 pm, †6.30 pm, *8.00 pm.
Milwaukee—Lv. †3.00 am, §4.00 am, †7.00 am, *9.00 am, †11.30 am, †2.00 pm, *3.00 pm, *5.00 pm, *8.00 pm, *10.30 pm.
a Dly Menominee and Rhinelander. k Dly Green Bay.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL—ALL THROUGH TRAINS from Central Station, 12th-st. and Park-row. Trains for the south [except fast mail] can be taken from 22d-st., 39th-st., Hyde Park, and 63d-st. stations. Tickets at city office, 99 Adams-st., and at the Auditorium Hotel.

	Leave.	Arrive.
N. Orleans, Memphis Special	*10:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Coaches only for Memphis, N. Orleans, Hot Springs, Nashville and Florida	* 5:25 pm	*12:05 pm
Limited, Pullmans only, for Memphis, N. Orleans, Hot Springs, Ark., Nashville, and Florida	* 7:00 pm	*10:35 am
Monticello, Ill., and Decatur	* 5:25 pm	* 1:20 pm
St. Louis and Springfield, Diamond Special	*10:15 pm	* 7:35 am
St. Louis and Springfield, Daylight Special, Decatur	*11:32 am	* 7:35 pm
Cairo Local	† 7:55 am	† 6:00 pm
Decatur, Sprfd. & St. L. Local	†10:00 am	† 1:20 pm
Fast Mail, New Orleans	* 2:50 am	
Bloomington & Chatsworth	† 7:55 am	† 9:45 pm
Bloomington & Chatsworth	† 5:25 pm	†12:05 pm
Champaign & Gilman Local		* 1:20 pm
Evansville Express	*10:00 am	† 6:00 pm
Evansville, Cairo, and South	* 8:40 pm	* 7:00 am
Kankakee and Gilman	* 4:15 pm	*10:00 am
Minneapolis and St. Paul	* 6:10 pm	* 9:30 am
Omaha, San Francisco	* 6:10 pm	* 9:30 am
Dubuque, S'x City, S'x Falls	* 6:10 pm	* 9:30 am
Omaha Day Express	* 8:15 am	* 9:30 pm
Omaha, S. City Fast Mail	* 2:55 am	* 7:00 am
Rockford Passenger	* 2:10 pm	*10:05 am
Rockford and Dubuque	† 3:45 pm	†12:55 pm

BURLINGTON ROUTE—TEL. NO. 3117 CENTRAL—Berths and tickets at 211 Clark-st. and Union Passenger Station, Canal and Adams-sts.

Trains.	Leave.	Arrive.
Ottawa, Streator & La Salle	† 8:20 am	† 6:10 pm
Rochelle, R'ckf'd, Forreston	† 8:20 am	† 2:15 pm
Mendota, Galesburg	† 8:20 am	* 2:15 pm
Galesburg, Burl'g't'n, Council Bluffs, Omaha, Lincoln	* 9:15 am	* 7:55 pm
Deadw'd, Hot Springs, S. D.	* 9:15 am	* 7:20 am
Seattle, Tacoma, Portland	* 9:15 am	* 8:55 am
Illinois and Iowa Local	*11:30 am	* 6:55 am
Texas points and Mexico	*11:30 am	* 2:20 pm
Galesb'g, Quincy, Hannibal	*11:30 am	* 2:20 pm
R'k Falls, Sterling, Rockf'd	† 4:30 pm	†10:35 am
Yorkville, Ottawa, Streator	† 4:30 pm	†10:35 am
Denver, Utah, California	* 5:00 pm	* 7:55 pm
Fort Madison and Keokuk	* 5:00 pm	* 2:20 pm
C. Bluffs, Omaha, Lincoln	* 6:00 pm	* 9:03 am
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison & Leavenworth	* 6:10 pm	* 9:00 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis	* 6:30 pm	* 8:55 am
Dubuque, La Crosse, Winona	* 6:30 pm	* 8:55 am
Kansas City, St. Joseph	*10:30 pm	* 6:55 am
Quincy and Hannibal	*10:30 pm	* 6:55 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis	‡10:50 pm	† 9:35 pm
Dubuque, La Crosse, Winona	‡10:50 pm	† 9:35 pm
Denver, Utah, California	*11:00 pm	* 7:20 am
C. Bluffs, Omaha, Lincoln	*11:00 pm	* 7:20 am
Deadwood, Hot Spgs., S. D.	*11:00 pm	* 7:20 am
Keokuk and Fort Madison	*11:00 pm	* 6:55 am

*Daily. †Daily ex. Sunday. ‡Daily ex. Saturday.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC RY.—Temporary passenger station, cor. Harrison-st. and 5th-av., during construction of new Van Buren-st. depot. City Tkt. office, cor. Adams & Dearborn.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Kas. City, Tex., Cal. & Mexico, via El Paso Short Line	* 8:32 am	*10:10 pm
Peoria	* 8:32 am	†10:10 pm
Illinois and Davenport Mail	* 9:15 am	* 7:50 pm
Des Moines and Iowa Mail	† 9:15 am	* 7:50 pm
Peoria, R. Island, Davenport	† 1:00 pm	* 2:00 pm
Wash'n, Oskal'sa, D. Moines	† 9:15 am	† 5:30 pm
Joliet Express	*11:45 am	* 3:44 pm
Joliet Accommodation	* 3:15 pm	* 9:47 am
St. Paul & Minneapolis	* 4:30 pm	*10:00 am
Cedar Rapids & Sioux Falls	* 4:30 pm	*10:00 am
Joliet Exp.—Peru Accom.	† 5:10 pm	† 8:47 am
Rocky Mt. Lim. to Omaha, Colo. Springs, and Denver	* 5:45 pm	* 5:30 pm
K. City, St. Jos., Leavenw'th, Atc., Col. & Ft. W. Tex. Ex.	* 6:05 pm	* 9:40 am
Peoria	* 6:05 pm	* 5:30 pm
Big Five to Colorado, Utah, and California, via Omaha	*10:00 pm	* 8:20 am
C. Rapids, St. Paul, & Minn.	*10:00 pm	¶ 7:25 am
Peoria, Davenport	*11:30 pm	* 7:25 am
Kas. City, Atch., St. Joe, Des Moines, Omaha	‡11:30 pm	¶ 7:25 am
Golden State Limited to Los Angeles, Santa Barbara and San Francisco	* 7:45 pm	*10:30 am

CHICAGO AND ALTON — UNION PASSENGER station, Canal and Adams-sts. City ticket office, 101 Adams-st. 'Phone Cent. 1767.

TRAINS DEPART— "THE ONLY WAY."

† 9:00 am Bloomington, Peoria, Sp'field, St. Louis.
9:00 am Joliet, Dwight accom'n [Sunday only].
† 9:35 am Joliet accommodation.
*11:25 am Alton lim'd for Springfield & St. Louis.
†11:25 am Jacksonville and Roodhouse.
* 2:30 pm Bloomington & Springfield.
† 5:10 pm Lemont, Lockport & Joliet.
† 5:35 pm Joliet accommodation.
* 6:00 pm Kansas City & Peoria limited.
* 9:00 pm Bloomington, Springfield and St. Louis.
*11:40 pm Midnight special, Springfield, St. Louis, Jacksonville, Kansas City.
*11:45 pm Joliet, Dwight, Streator & Peoria.

Trains arrive from Kansas City, Jacksonville, Bloomington, *8:55 am, *1:15 pm; St. Louis, Springfield, Bloomington, *7:15 am, *8:10 am, *5:04 pm, †8:05 pm; Springfield, Jacksonville, Bloomington, *1:15 pm, †8:05; Peoria, Streator, Dwight, *7:15 am, *1:15 pm, †8:05 pm; Dwight, Joliet, *10:30 am, §7:30 pm; Joliet locals, †8:45 am, †4:30 pm, †7:45 pm.

CHICAGO & EASTERN ILLINOIS RAILROAD—Ticket offices, 131 Adams-st., Auditorium Annex, and Dearborn station, Dearborn and Polk-sts. Telephone Central 555.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Terre Haute & Evansville	† 8:20 am	† 9:15 pm
Southern Illinois & Thebes	† 8:20 am	† 9:15 pm
Mudlavia Spgs. & Brazil	†10:20 am	† 1:43 pm
Chicago & Florida Lim.	D* 1:02 pm	D* 4:00 pm
Mudlavia Spgs. & V'burg	† 1:45 pm	† 5:45 pm
Danville Express	* 5:05 pm	*10:03 am
Chicago & Nashville Lim.	* 7:00 pm	D* 9:15 am
Terre Haute & Evansville	*11:34 pm	* 6:53 am
Arkansas & Texas	*11:34 pm	* 6:53 am

D. Dining car on these trains.

ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RY.—Trains leave Dearborn station, Polk and Dearborn. Ticket office, 109 Adams. Phone Cent. 2037.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Streator, Galesburg, Ft. Mad.	† 7:58 am	† 5:02 pm
Streator, Pekin, Monmouth	† 1:00 pm	† 1:00 pm
Streator, Jol., Lockport, Lemont		* 9:25 am
Lemont, Lockport, Joliet	† 4:00 pm	† 8:05 am
K. City, Colo., Utah & Texas	* 6:00 pm	* 9:45 am
K. City, Cal., and Mex.	*10:00 pm	* 7:50 am
K. City, Texas & Nor. Cal.		* 8:47 pm
The California Limited—Los Angeles, San Francisco	* 8:00 pm	* 2:15 pm

WISCONSIN CENTRAL RY.—CITY OFFICE, 230 Clark-st. Phone Harrison 2257. Depot 12th-st. and Park-row.

	Leave.	Arrive.
St. Paul, Minneapolis, Oshkosh, Eau Claire, Ashland, Ironwood & Pacific coast	*2:45 am *6:15 pm	* 9:38 am *10:50 pm
Duluth and Superior	*6:15 pm	* 9:38 am
Waukesha, Fond du Lac, Oshkosh, and Neenah	†8:35 am †1:30 pm	† 1:05 pm † 6:15 pm
Chippewa Falls & Eau Claire	†8:35 am	† 6:15 pm
Waukesha Local	*4:00 pm	*10:15 am

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN RY. — MAPLE Leaf Route. Grand Central station, 5th-av. and Harrison-st. Office, 115 Adams. Phone 3503 Cent.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Minneapolis, St. Paul, Dubuque, Kas. City, St. Jos., Des Moines, Marshall'n	* 8:45 am * 6:30 pm *11:00 pm	* 9:30 pm * 9:30 am * 1:40 pm
Sycamore and Byron	* 3:10 pm	*10:25 am
St. Charles, Sycamore, and De Kalb	* 1:00 pm † 5:35 pm	* 9:55 am † 7:45 am

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WESTERN ROADS.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RY.—Ticket office, 95 Adams-st. Tel. 2190 Central. Union Passenger Station, Canal, Adams, and Madison-sts.

Trains.	Leave.	Arrive.
Janesville, Madison	† 7:45 am	† 8:00 pm
Mineral Point Division	† 7:45 am	† 1:05 pm
Rockford, Beloit, Janesville	* 8:20 am	* 6:00 pm
St. Paul—Mpls. Day Exp.	* 9:00 am	* 9:25 pm
Delavan, Wausau, Merrill	† 9:00 am	† 9:25 pm
Madison & Prairie du Chien	† 9:00 am	† 4:00 pm
San Francisco, Los Angeles, S. Lake, D. Moines, Omaha	* 9:35 am	* 8:35 am
Delavan-Beloit	*11:30 am	† 4:00 pm
Rockford, Beloit, Janesville	† 1:30 pm	† 1:45 pm
Ced. Rap., K. City, Dubuque	† 1:30 pm	† 1:45 pm
Delavan-Beloit	* 3:00 pm	* 9:30 am
Green Bay, Portage	† 3:00 pm	† 1:00 pm
F. du Lac, Oshkosh-Ripon	† 3:00 pm	† 9:25 pm
Janesville, Madison	* 4:00 pm	†10:15 am
Mineral Point Division	† 4:00 pm	† 8:00 pm
Rockford	† 4:05 pm	†10:25 am
Madison, Prairie du Chien	† 5:00 pm	¶ 9:30 am
The Overland Limited—for 1st class sleeping car passengers, S. Francisco, Portland, Salt Lake, Omaha	* 6:00 pm	* 9:25 am
N. Iowa, S. Minn., Dakota	* 6:00 pm	* 7:55 am
Omaha, C. Bluffs, Rockford, S. City, D. Moines, S. Falls	* 6:00 pm	* 9:25 am
Janesville, Madison	* 6:05 pm	* 1:05 pm
St. Paul, Minneapolis—The Pioneer Limited	* 6:30 pm	* 9:30 am
C. Rapids, K. City	‡10:25 pm	† 8:35 am
N. Iowa, S. Minn., Dakota	‡10:25 pm	† 7:55 am
San Francisco, Portland, Denver, Omaha, C. Bluffs	*10:25 pm	* 9:55 pm
Green Bay, Iron Mountain, H'ghton, Calumet, Marq. The Copper Country Lim.	*10:30 pm	* 7:00 am
St. Paul, Minneapolis	*10:30 pm	* 7:00 am
Wausau, Minocqua, StarLake	*10:30 pm	* 7:00 am

For Milwaukee—Depart, *7:00, *9:00, †11:30 a. m.; *3:00, *5:00, *6:30, *10:30 pm.

WABASH RAILROAD — DEPOT, DEARBORN station, Polk and Dearborn-sts. Ticket office, 97 Adams-st. and 15 Congress-st. Telephones—City office [except Sunday], Cent. 3046. Depot, H. 733.

	Leave.	Arrive.
St. Louis Vestibuled Limited	*11:03 am	* 5:22 pm
Peoria & Springfield Express	† 2:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
St. Louis Limited Express	* 9:17 pm	* 7:30 am
St. Louis & Peoria Express	*11:30 pm	* 8:02 am
Peoria & Texas Limited	*11:03 am	* 5:22 pm
Forrest Accommodation	* 4:35 pm	* 9:47 am
Cont. Lim., N. Y., Boston	*11:00 am	* 3:30 pm
Detroit, N. Falls & N. Y.	* 3:00 pm	* 9:30 pm
Montpelier Accommodation	*10:00 am	*10:50 am
Detroit, N. Falls & Bost. Ex.	*11:00 pm	* 7:15 am
Toronto, Mont. & Can. Ex.	* 3:00 pm	* 9:30 pm

EASTERN ROADS.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL, N. Y. C. & H. R., AND B. & A. Rys.—"The Niagara Falls Route." Ticket offices, 119 Adams St., Auditorium and Great Northern Hotels, Palmer House, and stations 12th St. and Park Row, 22d St., 39th St., Hyde Park, 63d St.

Nov. 23, 1902.	Leave.	Arrive.
Detroit Mail and Express	† 6.45 am	† 6.40 pm
New York and Boston Special	*10.30 am	* 3.00 pm
Niag. Falls, New York, and Boston	* 3.00 pm	* 8.55 pm
Kalamazoo Accommodation	† 3.50 pm	†11.10 am
New York Special	* 5.20 pm	* 8.05 am
Detroit Night Express	*10.00 pm	* 7.40 am
Niag. Falls, New York, and Boston	*11.30 pm	* 7.40 am
Saginaw and Bay City Sleeper	‡10.00 pm	¶ 7.40 am
New York and Eastern points		* 2.35 pm
Boston and New England points		¶ 9.00 pm
Via Pere Marquette R. R.		
Grand Rapids and Petoskey	† 7.15 am	†11.10 pm
Grand Rapids and Traverse City	†12.00 n'n	† 5.00 pm
Grand Rapids Express	† 4.50 pm	† 1.30 pm
Grand Rapids Express	*11.50 pm	* 7.05 am
Muskegon and Petoskey	‡11.50 pm	¶ 7.05 am
Via Grand Rapids & Indiana Ry.		
Gd. Rap., Petoskey, and Mackinaw	† 6.45 am	† 2.35 pm
Gd. Rap., Petoskey, and Mackinaw	† 5.00 pm	† 5.25 pm
Gd. Rap., Petoskey, and Mackinaw	*11.30 pm	* 7.40 am

THE PENNSYLVANIA LINE—CHICAGO UNION passenger station, Adams, Canal, and Madison-sts. Ticket offices at station and at 248 S. Clark-st., corner Jackson, and at Auditorium hotel. Through trains run as follows:

From Chicago to	Leave.	Arrive.
Fort Wayne and Alliance	† 7:30 am	*7:35 am
Indianapolis and Louisville	*10:00 am	*5:30 pm
Dayton and Cincinnati	*10:00 am	*5:30 pm
Columbus, Balto. & Wash.	*10:05 am	*5:00 pm
Philadelphia and New York	*10:05 am	*5:00 pm
The Pennsylvania Special	*12:00 n'n	*8:55 am
Pittsburg, Phila. & New York	*12:00 n'n	*8:55 am
Philadelphia and New York	*12:05 pm	*2:50 pm
Baltimore and Washington	*12:05 pm	*2:50 pm
Pittsburg, Balt. & Washington	* 3:00 pm	*8:45 pm
Philadelphia and New York	* 3:00 pm	*8:45 pm
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 5:30 pm	*8:45 am
Pittsburg and Washington	* 5:30 pm	*8:45 am
Philadelphia and New York	* 5:30 pm	*8:45 am
Pgh., Youngstown & N. Castle	* 7:30 pm	*7:35 am
Columbus, Pgh., and the east	* 9:00 pm	*7:35 am
Cincinnati and Dayton	* 8:40 pm	*7:30 am
Indianapolis and Louisville	* 8:40 pm	*7:30 am
Cincinnati Express	*12:00 n't	*1:20 am
Pittsburg and the east	*11:45 pm	*7:35 am

*Daily. †Except Sunday.

THE LAKE SHORE AND MICHIGAN SOUTHERN Ry., N. Y. C. & H. R., and B. & A. Rys.—Grand Central station, Harrison-st. and 5th-av.; and 31st-st. station. City ticket office, 180 Clark-st.

No.	Leave		Arrive.	No.
2	† 7:00 am	Day Express	† 7:00 pm	7
6	* 8:30 am	Buff., Alb. & N. Y.	* 7:50 am	3
10	*10:30 am	N. Y. and Bost. Spec.		
26	*12:30 pm	20th Century Limited	* 9:45 am	21
16	* 2:00 pm	New England Ex.	*11:50 am	15
14	* 3:00 pm	Buffalo and the east	* 3:00 pm	45
22	* 5:30 pm	Lake Shore Limited	* 4:30 pm	19
		Elkhart Accom.	† 9:35 am	175
20	* 8:30 pm	Cleveland	* 7:10 am	37
28	*10:35 pm	Tol., Clev., Pitts., N. Y.	* 9:00 pm	23
32	* 3:00 am	Buffalo and Boston		

MONON ROUTE — DEPOT, DEARBORN STATION. Ticket offices, 232 Clark-st. and principal hotels. Phone Har. 1245.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Florida Ltd. through sleeper	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	* 2:45 am	*12:00 n'n
Lafayette and Louisville	* 8:30 am	* 5:55 pm
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	† 8:30 am	† 5:55 pm
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	*12:00 n'n	† 8:40 pm
Lafayette and Bloomington	†12:00 n'n	† 8:40 pm
Lafayette Accommodation	* 3:20 pm	*10:35 am
Lafayette and Louisville	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am
French Lick & W. Baden Spgs	* 8:30 am	* 5:55 pm
French Lick & W. Baden Spgs	* 9:00 pm	* 7:23 am

BALTIMORE AND OHIO—DEPOT GRAND CENTRAL passenger station. Ticket offices, 244 Clark-st. and Auditorium. No extra fare on limited trains.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Local Express	† 7:15 am	† 5:15 pm
N. Y. & Wash. Vest. Limited	*10:10 am	* 7:30 pm
N. Y., Wash. & Pitts. V. Lim.	* 3:30 pm	* 9:40 am
Cleveland & Pittsburg Ex.	* 7:45 pm	* 6:50 am
Columbus & Wheeling Ex.	* 7:00 pm	* 6:50 am

BIG FOUR ROUTE—DEPOTS, CENTRAL STATION, 12th-st. and Park row, and 22d, 39th, 53d, 63d-sts. Ticket offices, 234 Clark and Auditorium. *Daily. †Except Sunday.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	* 9:00 am	* 5:30 pm
Louisville	* 9:00 am	* 5:30 pm
Cincinnati and Washington	* 1:00 pm	* 8:40 pm
Lafayette and Louisville	* 8:30 pm	* 7:10 am
Indianapolis and Cincinnati	* 8:30 pm	* 7:10 am

ERIE LINES—TICKET OFFICES, 242 CLARK-st., Auditorium Hotel, Dearborn Station. Phone Harrison 3274.

	Leave.	Arrive.
Rochester and Huntington	† 7:30 am	† 3:25 pm
N. York, Boston & Columbus	*10:30 am	* 5:20 pm
New York [Wells-Fargo Ex]		¶ 9:45 pm
Rochester and Huntington	* 4:10 pm	*10:00 am
New York and Boston	* 9:20 pm	* 7:35 am
Columbus and Norfolk, Va.	* 9:20 pm	* 7:35 am

NICKEL PLATE—THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO and St. Louis R. R.—Grand Central passenger station, 5th-av. and Harrison-st. All trains daily.

	Leave.	Arrive.
New York and Boston Express	10:35 am	9:15 pm
New York Express	2:30 pm	5:25 pm
New York and Boston Express	9:15 pm	7:40 am

City ticket office, 111 Adams-st. and Auditorium Annex. Phone Central 2057.

CHICAGO REAL ESTATE DEALS.

Manufacturing Plant at Huron and Townsend Streets Sold to Walter C. Newberry.

The manufacturing plant at the northwest corner of Huron and Townsend streets has been sold by Gilbert D. Davis to Walter C. Newberry for $114,000. The property has ground dimensions of 144x100 feet and is improved with a five story brick factory building. The property was purchased last year by Mr. Davis for $91,000.

The property at the southwest corner of Jefferson avenue and Fifty-fifth street, 100x150 feet, was bid in at foreclosure sale yesterday by Frank F. Taylor, representing the Illinois Trust and Savings bank, for $42,275.

William S. Potwin has sold to Burnette J. Hill the property at 1421 Wabash avenue, 25x170 feet, for $40,000.

Franklin D. Mitchell has sold to Mrs. Mary P. Stanley 117x150 feet at the southwest corner of Halsted street and Kenesaw terrace, and 50x117 feet in Kenesaw terrace, 100 feet west of Halsted street, for $22,100.

Old Man Dies from Exposure.

Alexander McKay, 62 years old, died yesterday at the county hospital from the effects of exposure. McKay had been sick three weeks, and having no relatives who would provide for him he was permitted to stay in the barn owned by Thomas Long, 355 Austin avenue. Residents of the neighborhood did not realize that McKay was in a critical condition until last Sunday, when the police were notified. Both of his arms were useless and both legs had been frozen. At the hospital the doctors found it necessary to amputate both legs.

David J. Hill to Lecture.

David J. Hill, assistant secretary of state, will lecture at the University of Chicago this afternoon on "Diplomatic Service." On Thursday he will talk on "Consular Service."

Decrees.

Judge Holdom—5642—Bates vs. Jones; dec.—5641—Stacey vs. Haberer; dec.
Judge Chytraus—5033—Giewe vs. Bolchenbauer; dec.—214263—Panoch vs. Zak; dec.—210284—Brewer vs. Prusheimer; dec.
Judge Tuley—214822—Russell vs. George; dec.
Judge Tuthill—226598—Gray vs. Crane; dec.—2517—Litchfield vs. Richardson; dec.—189539—Turpin vs. May; dec.—2345—Warren vs. Warren; dec.—3835—Hoeffel vs. Hoeffel; dec.
Judge Baker—11447—Scott vs. Scott; dec.—232587—Caruso vs. Caruso; dec.
Judge Clifford—724—In re appln. of Henry; dec.—747—In re appln. of Gleason; dec.—749—In re appln. of Schmidt; dec.—785—In re appln. of Curley; dec.—790—In re appln. of Walton; dec.
Judge Hanecy—4259—Trustees, etc., vs. Quinn; dec.
Judge Gibbons—4346—Rubel vs. C. T. & T. Co.; dec.—232757—Widner vs. Widner; dec.
Judge Smith—2411—Herrick vs. Thomas; dec.
Judge Bishop—3835—Seefurth vs. Seefurth; dec.—73713—Zippe vs. Zippe; dec.

Michigan Supreme Court.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—The January term of the Supreme court opened this morning. The court disposed of the following cases: Affirmed—City of Marquette vs. Michigan Land and Iron Co. [Ltd.]; Detroit vs. Detroit United Ry.; Morely vs. Quimby; Preuscheff vs. Stroh Brewing Co. Reversed—Cole vs. Detroit elec. Ry.; June vs. Labadie; Althese vs. McMillian; Howell Elec. Light and Power Co. vs. C. village of Howell. Rehearing was denied in Culver vs. Smith.

GENERAL NEWS OF RAILWAYS.

Executive Officers Take Charge of Rate Fixing by Tariff Men on the Western Roads.

Executive officers of the western roads will hold themselves personally responsible hereafter for the strict maintenance of agreed rates. At the meeting of executive officers and general traffic officials held here yesterday the rate making power was taken out of the hands of the general traffic officials and committees composed of the chief executive officers of the various roads were appointed to investigate charges and act upon every recommendation or request for a change in rates.

No reduction in rates can be granted under the new agreement to any shipper or free transportation issued to influence traffic without the sanction of these committees. There will be three of these committees, the principal one at Chicago and subcommittees at Kansas City and St. Paul.

During the last nine months the rates on over 1,000 articles were reduced by individual action of various roads, and in most instances, it is claimed, the cuts were made by general traffic officials without the knowledge of the chief executive officers. Most of the rates reduced during the last nine months were restored on Jan. 1 to normal tariff, and in some instances an advance in old tariff rates was made. It was feared that within a short time traffic officials would again resort to the old practice of notifying the commission of reduced rates. To prevent this, heroic action was deemed necessary, and consequently the executive officers themselves decided to assume the responsibility for the maintenance of rates hereafter. It is by no means certain, however, that the desired object will be obtained. Some of the executive officers were personally responsible for the cut rates made prior to Jan. 1, and they may resort again to the same practice.

The eastern roads tried the same scheme some years ago when they adopted the famous "gentlemen's agreement." The agreement did not last six months.

Manager for Eastern Illinois.

It is learned from reliable authority that R. R. Hammond will be appointed general manager of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad, now a part of the St. Louis and San Francisco system. The appointment is, according to report, to become effective on the resignation of M. J. Carpenter as president and general manager. Mr. Carpenter, as previously announced, has been elected president of the Père Marquette.

Bureau to Stop Ticket Forging.

The principal subject considered at the meeting of the Western Passenger association in Chicago yesterday was the recommendation of the executive committee that the association roads join the eastern lines in the organization of a national protective bureau for the suppression of ticket forgers and dealers in fraudulent tickets. A committee was appointed with Chairman MacLeod at the head to go into conference with representatives of the Central and Trunk Line Passenger association and agree with them on a plan of organization and the methods to be pursued.

Transportation Notes.

The Southern Pacific and its eastern connections have given notice that they will put in effect from Feb. 15 to April 30 a second class and colonists' rate of $33 from Chicago, $25 from Missouri river points, Sioux City to Kansas City, inclusive, and Houston, Tex., and $30 from St. Louis, Memphis, and New Orleans, to points in California.

W. H. Shaw of this city has been appointed superintendent of motive power of the St. Louis division of the Illinois Central railroad.

CITIES CLAIM DISCRIMINATION.

Railway Commission Hears Charge Chicago and Large Places Are Favored in Freight Rates.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Arguments were made today before the state railroad and warehouse commission on the proposition for a general reduction in the shipping schedules in Illinois. It required four hours to present the arguments and the case was taken under advisement. A report of the commission's findings is expected within a short time.

The petitioners for a reduction are merchants and shippers from Springfield, Decatur, Bloomington, and other cities who claim they are discriminated against. It was charged that the railways have made special commissions to the shippers of Chicago, Quincy, and Peoria, while the shippers of all other points in the state are compelled to pay the maximum rates allowed under the law.

In summing up the arguments on behalf of the railroads the petitioners allege the main object of the railroads was to slur over the matter and make it of as little consequence as possible. It also was asserted that they avoided any affirmative defense.

IN THE FIELD OF INSURANCE.

Judge Baker Decides Against Unauthorized Companies Doing Business in Illinois.

The insurance department of the state of Illinois has won the first round in its fight against the unauthorized insurance companies which have been operating from Chicago. Judge Baker yesterday decided the case he has had before him for two months, overruling the motions of the defendants to quash and for demurrers, and deciding that the bills are not multifarious and that the companies are "doing business in Illinois" within the meaning of the statute. He did not issue the injunction that was asked for, on the ground that it was too important an action to take without a hearing, but said that if the charges of the state's bill could be substantiated by evidence he would then issue the injunction.

The insurance departments of all the states have inaugurated a campaign against the "wildcats," and the brunt of it fell upon the Illinois department, for this is the headquarters from which they carry on their operations. They have relied upon the fact that they write no business on Illinois property to free them from interference in this state, but W. P. Thornton, the special counsel for the insurance department in charge of the cases, found decisions which justified Judge Baker in ruling strongly that the fact that they were carrying on an insurance business in this state made them liable to the insurance laws of the state.

The special meeting of the Chicago Underwriters' association yesterday rescinded the deposit feature about which there has been so much controversy, the vote of the fifty-six present being unanimous. There was so large an attendance that but seven more votes of absentees are necessary to give the change the required majority. On the question of the class 3 men two propositions were presented. One was that they should retain their present privilege of writing downtown, with a reduction in their compensation from 15 per cent on ordinary business to 10. The other proposed to return their commission to the old 15 per cent figure, but to take away the downtown privilege. The latter was defeated by a vote of 51 to 7.

It is believed that the trouble in the local board at Springfield has been settled. The Grant agency was fined $50 for it action on the Reisch brewery line and will have to keep off for a year. The Harrmann agency was required by its companies to come back into the board. Nothing was said at the meeting about the rescinding of the nonintercourse rule, which had been urged.

The Marquette agency of the New York Life, which is to change its name to the Tribune agency when it moves into the Tribune building, led all the offices in Chicago for business in 1902, writing between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000. The stock exchange branch wrote $1,276,000 in December.

Philip Farley of New York, president of the National Association of Life Underwriters, will be the special guest at the semi-annual ladies' night of the Chicago association, to be held on the evening of Jan. 20 at the Auditorium. The other speakers will be D. F. Appel of Boston, one of the vice presidents; and W. D. Wyman of Chicago, who retired last year as national president.

Alleged Train Robber Caught.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 6.—Chief of Police O'Brien of Anaconda arrested Joe Smith upon instructions from Chief Detective McFetridge of the Northern Pacific at St. Paul on suspicion of being the bandit who, single handed, held up and robbed the north coast limited on the Northern Pacific two months ago at Bearmouth.

SUIT LOST BY CABMEN.

HIGH COURT RULES THEY CANNOT INVADE UNION DEPOT.

Also Prohibits the Drivers of Vehicles from Congregating on the Sidewalks "So as to Interfere with the Ingress and Egress of Passengers and Employes"—Fees in Lake Street "L" Case Are Not Allowed—Other Decisions Are Handed Down.

Cabmen must respect the rights of passengers at the Union station, as the United States Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday reasserted in a modified form Judge Kohlsaat's order of a few months ago, by which the cabmen and others were restrained from congregating on the sidewalks to solicit fares.

The order enjoins the defendants from soliciting the custom of incoming passengers for cabs, express wagons, and hotels within the depot and from congregating on the sidewalk of the depot and from there soliciting the custom of passengers, "so as to interfere with the ingress and egress of passengers and employés."

The hackmen had asserted the right to have two of their number enter the depot to solicit custom, but the court denied this, even though the Pennsylvania company, which owns the building, has granted such a privilege to a certain corporation.

Lake Street "L" Fees Overruled.

An allowance of fees amounting to $48,665 to the Farmers' Loan and Trust company and its attorneys for their work in the Lake Street Elevated road litigation was declared by the court to be improper. The allowance of fees, which is now set aside, was as follows:

Farmers' Loan and Trust company of New York	$5,000
Turner, McClure & Rolston, New York counsel for same company	5,000
Runnells & Burry, local counsel for same company	30,000
Costs and expenses	5,318
Master's fees	3,347

Irregularity in bringing the litigation in question is the basis of the higher court's ruling.

Usage of Names Defined.

While holding that a man canont have a technical trade mark in his own name or acquire exclusive property right in it as against others of the same name, the court declared that, on the other hand, every man must so use his name as not to injure another nor produce confusion. By so ruling the court affirms the order enjoining Chickering Brothers of Chicago from using their name on pianos without equally prominent display of a notice that their concern has no connection with Chickering & Sons of Boston.

Decisions of the Court.

The decisions in full were as follows:

A. Bauer & Co. vs. order of Carthusian Monks; decree affirmed.

United States vs. Reid, Murdoch & Co.; decree reversed with instructions to dismiss petition of appellees.

First National Bank of Chicago vs. Selden, recr. of First National bank of Niles, Mich.; decree affirmed.

Pennsylvania company vs. C. H. Lenhart; judgment reversed with direction for new trial.

Clifford Chickering et al. vs. Chickering & Sons; order affirmed.

Star Brewery Co. vs. Paul Horst et al.; judgment reversed with directions for further proceedings.

In re J. C. Winship Co., bankrupt; decree reversed and cause remanded with directions.

William J. Adam vs. William Folger; order affirmed.

Thomas O'Neil vs. United States; judgment reversed and new trial granted.

South African Reduction Co. vs. Orrin Peck; judgment affirmed.

A. Bauer & Co. vs. La Societe Anonyme de la Distillerie de la Liqueur Benedictine; decree affirmed.

Horlick's Food Co. vs. Elgin Milkine Co. et al.; decree affirmed.

Emilien Saint Cyr Jr. et al. vs. A. F. Bauer et al.; decree affirmed.

In re Frank Golt, bankrupt; decree affirmed.

Farmers' Loan and Trust Co. vs. Lake Street elevated railroad co. et al. and Lake Street E. R. R. co. vs. Farmers' L. and T. Co.; appeal of Farmers' L. and T. Co. denied; on cross appeal, decree reversed with directions to dismiss cause for want of equity.

Havens & Geddes Co. vs. Herman Pierek, trustee in bankruptcy; decree reversed and cause remanded with directions to dismiss bill.

Edwin O. Rood vs. Claypool drainage and levee district, etc.; judgment reversed and new trial granted.

New Albany water works et al. vs. Louisville Banking Co.; order affirmed as to injunction and reversed as to appointment of receiver without costs.

J. McGregor Adams vs. Milton Shirk et al.; judgment reversed and direction for new trial.

Harry Donovan et al. vs. Pennsylvania Co.; decree affirmed with modifications.

In re the Parmelee library, bankruptcy; decree reversed and cause remanded with directions to set aside adjudication and dismiss petition.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

8616—Samuel B. Levy; liabil., $4,334; assets, $296. R. J. Cooney, atty.

8617—Owen W. Curtis of Joliet; liabil., $5,637; assets, $4,809. Cowing & Young, attys.

8618—Charles H. Hendricks; liabil., $2,729; assets, $46. Nathan Neufeld, atty.

8619—Paul Brandt; no statement of debts or assets given. Cox, Heldman & Lipson, attys.

Court Calls for Today.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Kavanagh—Trial call [law], 5493, 8545, 8436, 8630, 8431, 1387, 8552, 1902, 215318, 7576, 1577. On trial, 7709.
Judge Holdom—Trial call [chancery], 5686, 1112, 4578, 5924.
Judge Goodwin—Condemnation cases. On trial, 22164.
Judge Chytraus—Trial call [chancery], 4379, 5539, 5837, 12141. On trial, 5727.
Judge Hutchinson—Trial call [law], 5923, 1367, 5017, 3992, 6746, 6748, 6750, 6882, 6883, 6893.
Judge Gary—Trial call [law], 9088, 9225, 9274, 874, 2432, 9326, 937, 9377, 9380, 9381, 9477, 9183.
Judge Stein—Trial call [law], 10776, 10778, 10814, 10862, 2161, 10893, 10897, 10943, 10948, 10949, 9845, 10976, 10980, 11020, 10033. Decision in People vs. Murphy.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Gibbons—Trial call [law], 225563, 3848, 4387, 187048. On trial, 4363.
Judge Tuthill—First call, 201 to 300 inc. Trial call [chancery], 228939, 2027, 3964, 232930, 699. Law, 4399. On trial, 230689.
Judge Clifford—First call, 601 to 700 inc. Trial call [law], 6154, 6200, 6222, 6243, 6260, 6284, 6329, 6333, 6351, 6356, 6373, 6385. On trial, 1295.
Judge Vail—On trial, 7926.
Judge Dunne—On trial, sanitary district cases.
Judge Hitscher—Trial call [law], 215570, 4455, 190088, 4335, 2527, 3280, 2546, 3589, 3661, 1469, 3520, 3665, 4249, 4276, 3722.
Judge Tuley—Trial call [law], 1201, 1207, 1217, 1235, 1249, 1254, 1210.
Judge Shirley—Judge Tuthill's calendar. Law motions of course only. Chancery motions will be heard by Judge Tuthill. Trial call [law], 1518, 3146, 1586, 1607, 1611, 1614, 1619, 1663, 1665, 1673, 1679, 1707, 1709, 1721, 1733, 1737, 1761, 1784, 1795, 1817. No cases on trial.
Judge Baker—Trial call [law], 5946, 6146, 6298, 6022. On trial, 5890.
Judge Hanecy—Trial call [law], 10636, 2087, 4752.
Judge Smith—Trial call [law], 932. Chancery, 170, 4665. On trial, 4797.
Judge Bishop—Criminal court building—1664. On trial, 3608.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Carter—No announcement.
Judge Wheatly—County Court—Law calendar, trial call [law], 20061, 20119, 20136, 20142, 20144, 20162, 20164, 20165.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge Chetlain—1123.
Judge Brentano—Call not extended.
Judge Horton—2992, 1867, et al., 1875.
Judge McEwen—Call not extended.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—Motions of course—Set cases—Estates of Isabella M. McLeary, Charles W. Olson, John A. Lomax, Grace L. Dickerson, Minnie Jensen.—2:15 p. m.—Set cases—Estates of Peter Ryan, Martin Schneider, John Johns, Daniel M. J. Dowling.

FEDERAL COURTS.

United States Circuit Court of Appeals—Judges Jenkins, Grosscup, and Baker—940.
United States Circuit Court—Judge Seaman—26195, on trial. Judge Kohlsaat—Set case.
United States District Court—Judge Kohlsaat—Set cases.

Superior and Circuit Court Judgments

Judge Stein—225724—John Gunzenhauser vs. Chas. and Mary Odell et al.; by deflt., $797.25.

Judge Hutchinson—213242—P. F. Conway, admr. of Joseph Peritto, vs. P. G. L. and C. Co.; on findg., $1,000; satisfied.—198521—Eliza Kraehmer, admr. of Alto Kraehmer, vs. C. C. Ry. Co.; on findg., $300; satisfied.

Judge Tuley—208072—Nellie A. Roop vs. Bankers' Life Assn. of Minn.; on findg., $350; satisfied.

Judge Gibbons—233698—Chgo. Title and Trust Co. vs. Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Md.; by deflt., $4,219.08.

Judge Bishop—214714—James Cahill vs. Dennis and Mrs. Dennis Cahill; mo. n. t. overrld. and judgt. on ver., $403.37; satisfied.

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—[Special.]—Supreme Court of the United States; Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1903.

Present: The chief justice, Mr. Justice Harlan, Mr. Justice Brewer, Mr. Justice Brown, Mr. Justice Shiras, Mr. Justice White, Mr. Justice Peckham, Mr. Justice McKenna, and Mr. Justice Holmes.

Benj. C. Tunison of Pensacola, Fla., and Lynn Helm of Los Angeles, Cal., were admitted to practice.

423—Isabella F. Blackstone, individually and executrix, etc., plaintiff in error, vs. Nathan F. Miller, controller, et al.; argument continued by Mr. Edward W. Sheldon for the plaintiff in error, by Mr. Louis Marshall for the defendants in error, and concluded by Mr. Edward W. Sheldon for the plaintiff in error.

492—James L. Hyatt, chief of police of the city of Albany, N. Y., plaintiff in error, vs. the people of the state of New York on the relation of Charles E. Cockran; argument commenced by Mr. J. Murray Downs for the plaintiff in error.

Adjourned until tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The day call for Wednesday, Jan. 7, will be as follows:

492, 24 [and 34], 45 [and 59], 8, 54, 117, 92, 76, 109, and 46.

New 1903 laces.

On the main floor bargain square—5,000 yards of new 1903 torchon and Val. laces—those dainty patterns for trimming underwear, etc.—today exceptional values at ***18c, 15c** and* ***10c.***

MANDEL BROTHERS STORE NEWS

New 1903 challis.

A charming variety of artistic designs and handsome colorings, specially suitable for waists, house dresses, dressing sacques, and kimonos—imported from the best foreign manufacturers of textile fabrics.

Our great January sales are proving wonderfully successful.

Comparison with last year's January sales records shows us that every day the volume of business has been greater than on the corresponding one for 1902. This tells conclusively that Chicago people, as never before, appreciate the superior advantages obtainable here while these great mercantile events are in progress.

It tells, too, that we have been more fortunate in providing for these sales than ever before—that we are showing more exclusive novelties, that the quality of our January sale merchandise has been enhanced, and our prices have been kept on a satisfactory basis in the face of all competition.

Strategic advantages in buying, careful, critical study of style trends of the time, intimate constant touch with the world's great sources of supply, the will and the power to place immense orders in advance—these have made our January sales successful beyond all precedent. . . . **During these sales our economy basement is replete with extraordinary bargains.**

January sale of household and hotel linens.

ONLY the very choicest productions of the foreign looms are selected for our stocks; the purchasers are assured of excellent service and the very latest patterns. Many new and beautiful designs in pattern cloths, napkins, etc., are exclusive to Mandel's.

Prices are the very lowest quoted anywhere during the entire year on high-grade linens. Hotel and boarding house keepers find the rare values an exceptional inducement for them to stock up for the year's needs.

Fine Irish pattern damask table cloths—the clearing up of a manufacturer's stock of odd lots and discontinued patterns at an immense reduction.

2x2 yards, $2 and 2.35.
2x2½ yards, 2.50 and 2.85.
2x3 yards, $3 and 3.35.
2x3½ yards, 3.50 and 3.65.
2x4 yards, $4 and 4.15.
2½x2½ yards, 3.25 and $4.
2½x3 yards, $4 and 4.75.

Hemstitched damask sets—new, exclusive designs, all sizes, prices range $6 to $40 per set, reduced **25%** from regular price.

72-inch satin double damask—in many choice patterns—1.25 value at **$1.**

Hemmed and hemstitched huck towels, with fine damask borders, 25c value at **20c.**

22x22 full bleached Scotch damask napkins, 2.50.

24x24-inch dinner napkins to match—regular 3.50 value at **$3.**

25x25 fine satin damask dinner napkins, 3.75.

20x20 fine bleached damask napkins, 1.65.

Dew bleached hemstitched huck towels, 35c value at **25c.**

Special reduction on cream and bleached Turkish bath towels, large and heavy, no starch added to make them weighty, **23c.**

Special inducements in the economy basement.

18x18 inch pure linen silver bleached napkins, $1 value at **84c.**

20x20 inch hemmed dice napkins, strong and durable for restaurant use—1.75 value at **1.35.**

Hemstitched damask cloths, with nice open work finish—

2x2 yards, 1.15.
2x2½ yards, 1.40.
2x3 yards, 1.65.

Huck and damask towels, regular 15c value at **11c.**

Bleached bath towels, the usual 12½c value at **10c.**

Important announcement.

During the months of January and February we will make to your order tailor-made suits and costumes at a material reduction from the regular price.

This is in accordance with our custom—that during the dull period we reduce the price in order that we may keep our organisation of experts intact.

This reduction in price will not affect the high-grade workmanship in the least—the very high standard characteristic of Mandel garments is guaranteed.

Tailor-made suits to order $75 and upward.

New 1903 negligees on exposition.

Never were more charming ideas in women's negligee garments conceived than those you'll find represented on our third floor.

All the very choicest of the new designs have been selected for this peerless showing.

Both long and short creations in the various types of fashioning exclusive to 1903, evolved from fine, sheer fabrics, garments in which beauty and comfort are admirably blended.

Plain white sacques with large sailor collar, finished around collar, sleeves and sacque with neatly hemstitched ruffle—**95c.**

Same style piped round ruffle with either pink or blue—**1.25.**

Dainty slip over the head sacque of sheer lawn—V shaped yoke of Val. lace insertion and tiny tucks in alternate rows—very reasonably priced at **2.85.**

Long kimonos of figured lawn, pink or blue floral stripes on white grounds—a very handsome line of garments—exceptional value at **1.15.**

Beautiful negligee gowns of fine white dimity with tiny dots of either pink or blue closely besprinkling it—effectively garnished with borders to correspond—**2.85.**

Great clearing sale of waists.

Two great lots of velvet waists—
6.50 to 7.50 waists for 3.95.
9.50 to 12.95 waists for 4.85.

Three great lots of flannel waists—
3.85 to $5 waists for 2.25.
6.50 to 7.50 waists for 3.59.
8.50 to $10 waists for 4.25.

New 1903 shirtwaists, delineating the latest style thoughts of the best designers of modes. Fresh arrivals of chic creations every day.

If you wish to learn just what fashion sets its approval upon for the coming season you must inspect the showing. The exclusiveness of these shirtwaists is one of their greatest charms.

Rich furs at a great saving

IF you have delayed buying your furs until after the holidays you have saved fully ¼ to ⅓. We're interested now in getting rid of those left, before the season is too far advanced.

Owing to the extensiveness of our orders, many lines are still complete, affording most satisfactory selection at radical reductions.

$10 black marten cluster scarfs, with six extra large tails—reduced to **7.50.**

13.50 single fox scarfs finished with two brush tails and claws—special at **$10.**

$18 double sable fox scarfs trimmed with two brush tails—at the astonishingly low price of $12.

$25 dyed marten boas, 80 inches long—exceptional value at **$15.**

Best quality electric seal coats, 24 inches long, box front, plain satin lining—$40 value, now **$30.**

$65 nearseal coats reduced to **$50.**

$50 nearseal coats reduced to **$40.**

$60 nearseal coats with Hudson Bay beaver collar and revers, blouse front, **$40.**

$165 Hudson Bay otter coats, guaranteed finest quality—very choice garment now **$125.**

The greatest underwear sale we have ever held.

THE great January sale of muslin underwear and French lingerie that began last Friday deserves this distinction—the thousands of Chicago women who have visited it are unanimous in declaring that such a showing of fine undermuslins was never before seen in Chicago.

There's good reason for its popularity, for the prices are the lowest ever quoted on high grade muslin underwear and lingerie. The French wear is the workmanship of the convents near Paris—hand made with infinite patience—the domestic undermuslins are made in clean factories, under the best sanitary conditions. Special sizes have been provided for stout women.

69c for night gowns.
75c for night gowns.
95c for night gowns.
1.15 for night gowns.
1.39 for night gowns.

1.95 for night gowns.
2.50 for night gowns.
2.85 for night gowns.
3.95 for night gowns.

25c for corset covers.
39c for corset covers.
45c for corset covers.
75c for corset covers.
95c for corset covers.
1.45 for corset covers.

25c for drawers.
45c for drawers.
59c for drawers.
75c for drawers.
95c for drawers.
1.45 for drawers.

Misses' undermuslins.

59c misses' gowns, 4 to 6 years.
69c for misses' gowns, 8 to 10 years.
75c for misses' gowns, 12 to 14 years.
9c for misses' drawers, rise of 3c.
20c for misses' drawers, rise of 5c.
45c for misses' skirts, rise of 5c.
75c for misses' skirts, 4 to 8 years.
85c for misses' skirts, 10 to 14 years.

Economy Basement: A remarkable profusion of choice domestic undermuslins at absolutely lowest prices.

French handmade lingerie.

Wedding trousseaux—A superb exposition of dainty French lingerie for wedding trousseaux—you'll wonder how we can price them at such a low figure.

Gowns for 2.75, 3.59, 3.85, 5.95.
Drawers for 1.25, 1.85, 2.25 and 2.95.
Corset covers for 2.95, 3.25 and 3.85.
Walking skirts, 3.95, 5.95, 8.95, 10.50.
Chemise for 1.85, 2.50, 2.95 and 3.95.
Short underskirts for 3.95 and 4.95.

75c for walking skirts.
95c for walking skirts.
1.35 for walking skirts.
1.85 for walking skirts.
2.59 for walking skirts.
3.95 for walking skirts.
5.95 for walking skirts.

25c for short underskirts.
35c for short underskirts.
69c for short underskirts.
1.25 for short underskirts.

45c for chemise.
75c for chemise.
1.85 for chemise.
2.85 for chemise.

Final clearance of dress goods remnants at 50c and 35c.

ON the first day of our great sale of black and colored dress goods remnants we sold over 25,000 yards of goods, which we believe establishes a new record in the dress goods business—this showed what advertising and actually selling desirable remnants of $4, $3 and $2 fabrics at 50 cents a yard would bring.

Of course the yardage of these remnants has decreased, and some of the higher cost lines are gone, but the sale still offers bargains, attractions of utmost importance to economical women.

For today we offer remnants in useful lengths of black and colored dress goods, valued regularly at 2.50, $2 and 1.50, for 50c a yard.

Knickerbockers,
Fine zibelines,
Melrose,
Henriettas,
Mixed suitings,
Wool batistes,
Serges,
Granites,

Cheviots,
Basket cloths,
English tweeds,
Albatross,
French novelties,
Fine cashmeres,
Bannockburns,

50c

Economy basement.

Remnants of black and colored dress goods in all the various popular weaves of the season—regularly sold at 75c, $1 and 1.50 yard—clearance at **35c.**

Remnants of newest all-wool, silk and wool waistings, all-wool and silk stripe French challis in lengths from 1 to 12 yards—regularly 75c, 85c and $1 per yard—all marked for this great remnant sale at the one unusual clearance price, **35c.**

Artwares at reductions of 25%, 33⅓% and 50%.

DURING the great semi-annual sale which started January 2nd, reductions of 25%, 33⅓% and 50% are made on our entire collection of rare artwares, the finest of its kind in America.

Marble statuary,
Onyx pedestals,
Bronze figures and busts,
Royal Vienna,
Wedgwood,
Cloisonne,
Royal Hungarian,
Bohemian glass,
Electric bronzes,
Ivory miniatures,

Rich American cut glass,
Jardinieres and pedestals,
Silk lamp shades,
Royal Crown Derby,
Doulton ware,
Hand-painted medallions,
Teplitz figures and busts,
Carved ivories,
Clocks and clock sets,
Artistic lamps,

Decorated china chocolate sets,
Decorated china plates,
Decorated wall plaques,
Silver plated candelabra,
Italian pottery,
Limoges enamel,
Terra cotta busts,
Umbrella jars,
Bismarckzinn,
Chafing dishes.

All open stock patterns of china dinnerware at a reduction of 20%.

Haviland china dinner sets, 22.50.

Women's 3.50, $5 and $6 shoes for 2.50 and 1.85.

OUR EMPRESS 3.50

JUST think of choosing from 20,000 pairs of the finest shoes ever made for women's wear—the residue in stock of our ultra stylish winter lines, as well as an immense invoice of the celebrated **Empress 3.50 shoes**—for 2.50 and 1.85 per pair. Mere description cannot give you an adequate idea of the wonderful shoe bargains—you must come and examine the shoes themselves and see the great crowds thronging our shoe section before you can really realize what an extraordinary opportunity this is and what a Mandel shoe sale really means.

If you're looking for style you'll find it here, for the models are those approved by the most fashionable, exclusive bootmakers—if comfort, remember that shoes bought at Mandel's always meet hygienic requirements—if for good, square wearing power, you'll not be disappointed, for every pair has been made to stand the stress and strain of long service.

2.50 **1.85**

There were 20,000 pairs Monday, so despite the great avidity with which women have bought there's a remarkable selection still here. Nowhere else can you find such values or such variety; it's the shoe sale of the year, as a visit to it will soon verify. Genuine 3.50, $5 and $6 shoes for **2.50** and **1.85.**

1.48 **69c**

Economy basement: Here we have gathered together all broken and discontinued lines of our $3 footwear, including a great variety of styles, in nearly all the best leathers, all of which we have marked for immediate clearance at the exceptionally low prices of **1.48** and **69c** per pair.

Notable values in infants' wear.

Undoubtedly the largest and most select gathering of dainty fashionable garments ever shown at this season of the year—all marked at unusual prices, too.

Because we must have room at once for the new lines now arriving, our patrons are offered some very tempting values in stylish baby apparel.

New French waist dresses of fine lawn, prettily tucked and hemstitched—remarkable values at **$1** and **1.25.**

Long waisted underskirts lace trimmed—sizes 2 to 4 years—at **1.25** and **1.75.**

A very pretty dress of sheer lawn, trimmed with embroidery, long French waist, tucked skirt—special at **2.50.**

Infants' long skirts finished with hemstitching ruffle and neat hand-made insertion at **50c** and **85c,** also finely tucked and embroidery ruffled effects at **95c** and **$1.**

Infants' night gowns, plain, but well made and durable, specially priced at **50c.**

Infants' plain muslin drawers, 1 year size at **9c.** Rise of **3c** each size larger.

A special demonstration of the Arnold knit goods for infants is now being conducted by Madame Demorest in our infants' section. So soft and delicate is the texture of these garments that they will not irritate the most sensitive skin.

All fur rugs reduced 25%.

Second floor Wabash-av.

The warm weather must not find one on our hands, so we make reductions to close them at once.

A bona fide discount of 25% on our entire line of fur rugs—all of the very best selected skins.

Animal shape rugs of fine, soft fur, finished with heads and claws—wolf, fox, lynx, African leopard, Himalayan tiger and wildcat skins—ranging in price from 8.50 to $300 regularly. All offered for closing at a reduction of **25%.**

Fine China goat rugs, 28x64 inches, that never sold for less than $3, to close at a discount of **25%.**

Grand clearing of stamped linens.

Art needlework section—third floor.

In order to clear our fancy goods stock with dispatch prices have been cut to the very lowest notch on all odd and mussed lines—no profits now.

This cleaning up affords our customers the greatest bargain opportunities ever offered in this line of goods.

10c to 25c for stamped and plain linen and lawn scarfs, shams, tray cloths, center pieces, etc., with hemstitched, drawn and cut edges—all slightly mussed and soiled—values up to 75c.

50c and $1 for odd pieces of fancy goods—work boxes, scrap baskets, book racks, tie holders, finished Oriental pillow covers, etc., to $5.

15c for large selection of picture pillow tops, in beautiful subjects—washable goods; also tapestry and sateen tops—regularly priced up to 50c each.

15c for stamped pillow tops—values to 50c.

10c to 25c for art-figured taffeta cloth, tickings, cretonnes, mulls, etc., in remnants as large as 5 yards—values up to 55c per yard.

10c for stamped Battenberg and Marie Antoinette patterns, regularly priced up to 75c.

$1 for finished pillows ready for use, some Orientals included—sold readily when marked up to 2.48.

12½c for silk cords for finishing pillows, worth 25c per yard.

33c yard for remnants of figured drapery silks and satins—regularly sold up to 1.50 per yard.

One lot of Battenberg and Flemish rings—values formerly 50c per hundred, now **15c.**

2c per yard for Battenberg, Flemish and duchesse braids, in cream and white—regularly 85c per dozen yards.

12½c and upward for hand-made lace doilies.